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MERRY CHRISTMAS TO ALL!

THE SON OF MAN HATH NOT WHERE TO LAY HIS HEAD

The Human Scene in Old Bethlehem.

BY PHILIP KINSLEY.

[Out of historical and archæological material there is presented here a picture of the human scene into which Jesus of Nazareth was born about 1,938 years ago today.]

BETHLEHEM, Judea, Dec. 25, A. D. 1.—There are a large number of travelers in this village today, pilgrims to Jerusalem, caravans to Egypt and people coming up to their family home to register for the new census which Caesar Augustus has ordered for taxation of the whole world. The inn is crowded and the women were drawing water from the well until late in the evening.

A strange event has stirred talk in the market place. Shepherds watching their flocks on the eastern hills said that a great star stopped over them and they heard a voice telling them that a Savior had been born in the city of David and that they would find him in a manger. They came to the inn and found the babe as they had been told and now they are saying that the prophecy has been fulfilled and that the world is saved.

Born to Mary of Nazareth.

This child was born to Mary of Nazareth, who came to the inn last night. As the sleeping platforms were filled they had to go into the room with the cattle, where a manger was cleaned and filled with fresh straw. There is much excitement among the people about this, as they have been sore oppressed and heavily taxed under the Romans and have been waiting for a sign of deliverance.

The inn and the houses are built of limestone. Some of them look like outcroppings of the hills in which the city rests on level summits. The roofs are low and flat, made with beams of oak or cedar with short sticks laid across them and filled in with earth and mortar. The roofs are for sleeping in summer and to dry clothes and fruit, and have low battlements.

A stairway leads from the roof into the court of the house, which may be one room or divided into two rooms or many, as in the inn. One part is for the donkeys and oxen where stone troughs or mangers are built. In the side for the family there is a wide platform above the earthen floor. This is about two feet high and is covered with blankets and skins. The mangers are often cleaned and used for babes.

Family Eats Before Fire.

There is an open fireplace in the part where the family lives. Food is placed on a small stool. The people sit on mats around this and dip their bread into the soup or stew. Sometimes they use spoons. There is a chest for the festival robes made of cedar by the village carpenter who sits at his task with saw or plane. The dishes and the lamps and jars are of pottery, thin and easily broken. The lamps of the old style are open dishes with a little oil and a wick floating in it. The Roman lamps now much in use are oval shaped dishes with a hole at one end for the wick and a hole at the other for air. The oil is made from olives.

The houses are built close together along crooked, narrow streets, with gullies in the middle and no sidewalks. When the donkeys come down

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THE WEATHER

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 25, 1937.

Sunrise, 7:17; sunset, 4:25. Moon rises at 1:42 a. m. tomorrow. Venus is a morning star; Mars, Jupiter, and Mercury are evening stars. Saturn is a night luminary.

CHICAGO AND VICINITY: Becoming fair, considerably colder Saturday; moderate winds mostly northwest; increasing cloudiness and not so cold Sunday, probably followed by some snow.

ILLINOIS: Generally fair and considerably colder Saturday; Sunday increasing cloudiness and somewhat warmer, probably some snow in north portion.

TRIBUNE BAROMETER.

TEMPERATURES IN CHICAGO

For 24 hours ended at 2 a. m. Dec. 25.

MAXIMUM, 9 A. M.....37
MINIMUM, 2 A. M.....22

3 a. m.	32	Noon	37	Unofficial—	
4 a. m.	33	1 p. m.	37	8 p. m.	32
5 a. m.	32	2 p. m.	37	9 p. m.	30
6 a. m.	34	3 p. m.	37	10 p. m.	28
7 a. m.	34	4 p. m.	36	11 p. m.	26
8 a. m.	36	5 p. m.	36	Midnight	24
9 a. m.	37	6 p. m.	34	1 a. m.	23
10 a. m.	37	7 p. m.	34	2 a. m.	22
11 a. m.	37				

24 hours ended 6:30 p. m., Dec. 24:

Mean temperature, 32; normal, 26; deficiency for December, 125 degrees; deficiency since Jan. 1, 121 degrees.

Precipitation, .01 of inch; deficiency for December, .48 of an inch; total since Jan. 1, 26.89 inches; deficiency since Jan. 1, 5.59 inches.

Highest wind velocity, 20 miles an hour, from the southeast at 7:29 p. m.

Barometer, 6:30 a. m., 29.86; 6:30 p. m., 30.05.

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Maximum temperature, 56; minimum, 27; mean, 32; cloudy; precipitation, none.

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GOOD FELLOWS BRING SANTA TO 8,000 CHILDREN

Set New Record on 29th Year.

BY PHIL MAXWELL.

(Pictures on back page.)

The Christmas Good Fellow organization sponsored by THE TRIBUNE broke the record of 29 years of service yesterday when it distributed toys, food, and clothing to more than 8,000 Chicago children who might otherwise have been overlooked by Santa.

Year after year, reflecting the spirit of the dear Lord who has entered into their hearts, the Good Fellows increase in number and strength. They have doubled in numbers during the last five years. Yesterday and last evening 1,552 of them carried the light of the star into the city's darkest streets, and left joy in their wake. This was an increase of 165 Good Fellows over last year.

Report of Good Work.

The report of the Good Fellow bureau last night was as follows:

Number of Good Fellows who volunteered 1,382
Number of families personally served 1,720
Number of families who received baskets from cash gifts to this fund 250
Cash received, $1,708.87.

This shows that 1,970 families in all were made happy through this movement. The gift from the cash fund to each family was a basket of food, including a turkey, toys for each of the children listed, and in a few baskets a radio. This was the first time that most of these families had ever had a radio in their homes and the air was soon filled with carols and dance music in tune with the gladness that the gifts had brought.

All children know what secrets are at this time of the year. And the adventures that these agents of Santa Claus met with yesterday must remain a tender and beautiful secret. No one knows what events are set in motion here, what new causative chains of action are forged, new hope established, what forces are unlocked in these personal contacts. No event is lost in the arcane of nature or of love. The trembling of a flower reaches a star.

Start at 8 A. M.

The Chicago Trafic club Good Fellows, numerically the strongest group, assembled at the Chicago Tunnel warehouse at 8 o'clock yesterday morning, took off their coats and went to work assembling baskets and bundles for the 250 families they had taken under their wings this year. Last year they had 186.

At 9 o'clock the heavily laden TRIBUNE trucks moved out of the loading platforms with their 250 Good Fellow baskets. Phi Kappa Psi fraternity men met at noon at their chapter houses and started out on their errands. The Rotary Sunshine committee was on the job early with 175 baskets. The Chicago Newspaper Carriers' association took care of 76 families. The J. Wesley Jones Negro Good Fellows carried 25 baskets to the homes they had selected.

Some inkling of what the major army of Good Fellows encountered is given in the reports of TRIBUNE reporters who were sent to deliver the baskets purchased with the gift fund. These follow:

"SANTA HAS COME!"

BY DORIS LOCKERMAN.

There was an air of well-being in the home on North Mozart street even before the Good Fellows arrived. Part of it, of course, came from a pound of hamburger chilling on a back window sill, ready for a Christmas meat loaf for six. Part of it came from a Christmas tree, trimmed with cardboard crosses and yellow paper chains. And the tattered starched curtains did their part.

But the rest of the cheer, and there was enough to fill the bare little rooms, came from a tired, pale woman who is 42 years old and still believes in Santa Claus. So much so that she stood at her window yesterday waiting for him, with her tiny baby balanced on her hip, and with second-from-the-youngest Danny rubbing his chapped cheek against her skirt.

It was a strange thing. Just at that very moment the Good Fellows came and saw them standing there, these three in their window. And

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LIFE'S GREATEST THRILL

Happy Bells of Bethlehem Tell Old Tale Anew

BETHLEHEM, Palestine, Dec. 25 [Saturday].—(AP)—The softly chiming bells of Bethlehem early today announced to Christ's birthplace the anniversary of his nativity. They tolled forth peace and good will over Judean hills, as nearly 4,000 troops patroled those hills and country beyond in a tense Christmas vigil for marauding terrorists.

Police guarded the ten mile road from Jerusalem during the traditional procession of his beatitude, the Latin patriarch, to the Church of the Nativity, now 1,600 years old, for the midnight pontifical mass. The patriarch is the representative of Pope Pius XI. in Jerusalem. Hundreds of Christians of many sects marched in the procession, but there were only seventy-five foreign pilgrims, of whom twenty were Americans.

Throng to Mass.

They thronged into Christendom's oldest and most sacred church, built on the traditional site of Christ's birthplace, and also the adjoining St. Catharine's church, for the mass.

In this holy place of Christendom, set in the midst of shrines of the Jew and the Arab, the worshipers followed the deep-throated intonations of the patriarch through the mass.

An American quartet joined in the carols. In it were Fred A. Spotts of Huntington Park, Cal.; James H. Moore of Johnson City, Pa.; William G. Kuhn of Chillicothe, O., and Morris Culver of Wilmore, Ky. Gospel singers from Asbury college, Wilmore, Ky., walked from Jerusalem.

Soldiers Worship.

Hundreds of Palestinians pushed their way into St. Catherine's. Nuns, townsfolk, camel drivers, and water carriers said their rosaries. British troops—sent to Palestine to put down Jewish-Arab clashes—were there.

The climax of the mass came when the patriarch removed the image of the Christ Child from the high altar and carried it in a procession to the candle lighted grotto which is regarded as the actual location of the manger in which the Christ Child lay.

With the end of the mass the pilgrims streamed out into the night—some along the road of the Magi, once lighted by the star of the east. Many rode camels or donkeys, but a few were in automobiles.

Mary Christmas Meets Her Match; He's Rip Van Winkle

Burbank, Cal., Dec. 24.—(AP)—When Mrs. Mary Christmas of Santa Claus, Ind., gave her name to a clerk while buying a turkey here today, he gave his name as Rip Van Winkle. Both names are correct.

WINDSOR TALKS WITH FAMILY FROM CANNES ON CHRISTMAS EVE

CANNES, France, Dec. 24.—(AP)—The duke of Windsor, for the second year an exile at Christmas time, telephoned his mother, Queen Mary, at home in England. The duchess, for whom he gave up his throne, sat at his side as he talked with his mother, whom he has not seen since his abdication.

Later he talked with his brother, King George VI., and then with his little niece, Princess Elizabeth, whom he greeted as usual with, "Hello, Queen Elizabeth!"

The duke planned to listen tomorrow to his brother's broadcast to the empire over which he once reigned.

SANTA CLAUS CAN'T REACH 12 ON ISLE ROYALE

Duluth, Minn., Dec. 24—Seven men, two women and three children, voluntarily trapped for the winter on Isle Royale, island in Lake Superior, will pass a quiet Christmas—more quiet because even Santa Claus will be unable to reach them.

Until spring winds melt the fast-forming ice floes that bar their passage to the mainland, their only connection with the outside world will be through a hand-fashioned short wave radio.

The winter inhabitants of the island, 44 miles long and 45 miles northwest of Keweenaw point in Lake Superior, are guardians of National Park Service camp No. 1, erected for the purpose of preserving the nation's largest moose population and to remove fire hazards created by early timber operations. They received their last visit of the year last week when the United States coast guard cutter Diligence made a routine stop.

Firemen Pluck Christmas Goose from the Burning

Albany, N. Y., Dec. 24.—(AP)—Firemen of engine company No. 3 received a goose and a turkey at Thanksgiving time and they ate the turkey, planning to keep the goose for Christmas. But the goose made such a likable pet they didn't have the heart to kill him. So they sent him back to his home in the country today, with a plea that he be allowed to live on the farm.

Kicks of Doubting Sandys Prove Scotch Santys Real

GLASGOW, Scotland, Dec. 24.—(AP)—Department store Santa Clauses tonight turned in their uniforms and the shin guards they had to wear because Scotch children often gave them a swift kick to see if they were the real thing.

Pope Ushers In Yule with Midnight Mass

VATICAN CITY, Dec. 25.—[Saturday].—(AP)—Pope Pius opened his observance of Christmas today by celebrating midnight mass quietly in the little chapel next to his bedroom. A few members of his household, his physician, Dr. Amiante Milani, and two other medical aides were in attendance.

As the aged pontiff devoutly performed a simple service, church bells rang over all Rome and thousands gathered in churches for vastly more elaborate masses.

Cancels Yule Reception.

The pope planned to spend today quietly. He will celebrate another mass in the morning. If the weather is fine, he may take a short automobile ride through the Vatican gardens—his favorite recreation—and he will listen to a Vatican broadcast of Christmas music.

The pope's customary Christmas reception of diplomats accredited to the Holy See will not take place this year. Instead the envoys will present their greetings to Cardinal Pacelli, papal secretary of state.

Grand Nephews to Greet Him.

Though the pope rarely uses a telephone, his aides said he would listen in the gold-plated instrument presented to him by an American firm to hear Christmas greetings from his two little grandnephews, the sons of Marquis Edoardo Persichetti Ugolini.

The Sistine choir, Beniamino Gigli and other opera stars will sing in the Vatican Christmas broadcast at 7 o'clock tonight [noon Chicago time].

PARENTS WILL BE GUESTS OF QUINTS AT DINNER TODAY

CALLANDER, Ont., Dec. 24.—(AP)—The Dionne quintuplets are ready for a big Christmas.

They will have as their guests at Dafoe nursery their parents and brothers and sisters. There will not be a turkey on the brightly decorated table, because the quintuplets have a diet that cannot be changed even for a day, but otherwise they will celebrate like everybody else.

Santa Claus Postoffice Breaks All Mail Records

Santa Claus, Ind., Dec. 24.—(AP)—Oscar Philipps, postmaster of this tiny Christmas capital of the nation, estimated tonight his postoffice had handled since Thanksgiving more than 750,000 pieces of mail, a new record. This was about 150,000 more pieces than went through the office last year.

BE GAY TODAY! LIFT UP YOUR VOICE IN SONG

Carol—To sing in a cheerful or joyous strain; warble. To sing for a dance; dance and sing. A song of joy, exultation, or cheerfulness; a gladsome singing, as the warbling of birds. A song or hymn of religious joy, especially a festal hymn sung at Christmas.—*Webster.*

What sweeter musick can we bring
Than a carroll, for to sing
The birth of this our heavenly King?
—Herrick Christmas Carroll.

While Shepherds Watched Their Flocks
Traditional.

While Shepherds watched their flocks by night,
All seated on the ground,
The angel of the Lord came down,
And glory shone around.
"Fear not," said he, for mighty dread
Had seized their troubled mind.
"Glad tidings of great joy I bring
To you and all mankind."

Silent Night
Franz Gruber.

Silent night! Holy night!
All is calm, all is bright,
Round yon Virgin Mother and Child,
Holy infant so tender and mild,
Sleep in heavenly peace.

O Little Town of Bethlehem
American.

O little town of Bethlehem!
How still we see thee lie;
Above thy deep and dreamless sleep
The silent stars go by;
Yet in thy dark street shineth
The everlasting Light;
The hopes and fears of all the years
Are met in thee tonight.

Oh Come All Ye Faithful
Old Latin.

O come all ye faithful, joyful and triumphant.
O come ye, O come ye to Bethlehem.
Come and behold Him, born the king of angels.
O come let us adore Him, Christ the Lord.

The First Nowel
French-English.

The first nowel the angel did say,
Was to certain poor shepherds in fields as they lay;
In fields where they lay keeping their sheep
On a cold winter's night that was so deep.
CHORUS.
Nowel, Nowel, Nowel, Nowel,
Born is the King of Israel.

Away in a Manger
German.

Away in a manger, no crib for a bed,
The little Lord Jesus laid down His sweet head;
The stars in the sky looked down where He lay,
The little Lord Jesus asleep in the hay.

Hark, the Herald Angels Sing
Modern English.

Hark the herald angels sing
Glory to the newborn king!
Peace on earth and mercy mild,
God and sinners reconciled!
Joyful all ye nations, rise,
Join the triumph of the skies;
With th' angelic hosts proclaim,
Christ is born in Bethlehem.
CHORUS.
Hark! The herald angels sing,
Glory to the new born king.

Wassail, Wassail!
Early English.

Wassail, wassail, all over the town!
Our bread it is white and our ale it is brown:
Our bowl is made of the maple tree,
So here my good fellow, I'll drink to thee.

God Rest You Merry, Gentlemen
English Traditional.

God rest you merry, gentlemen,
Let nothing you dismay,
Remember Christ our Saviour
Was born on Christmas day,
To save us from all satan's pow'r,
When we were gone astray.
CHORUS.
O tidings of comfort and joy,
Comfort and joy,
O tidings of comfort and joy.

SPIRIT OF YULE FELT IN EVERY LAND IN WORLD

Day Observed with Prayer and Gayety.

Here is a picture of how the world celebrates Christmas, as told in cable and radio dispatches:

LONDON, Dec. 24. — (AP) — King George VI. of Great Britain tomorrow will read a five minute message of Christmas greeting to the world.

He will speak from his study in Sandringham house, just as his father, King George V., did for the four years, 1932-'35. There was no such message last year, in the gloom that followed the abdication and exile of King Edward VIII., now the duke of Windsor.

The royal family completed its Christmas shopping days ago. Queen Mother Mary, often accompanied by her daughter, the princess royal; Queen Elizabeth, and the queen of Norway, shopped in London's best stores. Other members of the royal family dodged cheering crowds to make purchases. King George personally bought one gift, precious stones for his queen.

Tonight the little princesses, Elizabeth and Margaret, daughters of the king and queen hung up their stockings.

NAZIS TALK OF PEACE

[Chicago Tribune Press Service.]

BERLIN, Dec. 24.—This is the "finest Christmas there ever was," the Nazi press informed Germany today, though housewives faced the problem of creating Christmas dainties from poor butter and flour, few eggs, and little fat. Many, perhaps selfishly, failed to appreciate that nowadays "cannons are more important than cookies." The "Christmas rush" in shops this year was like that of earlier years.

In a Christmas message to Germans living abroad, Rudolf Hess, deputy leader of the Nazi party, said Germany is an island of peace in a restless world.

"In Germany there is no talk of war dangers or of war threats," he said. "There is the firm knowledge that we wish no war and that, strong in our unity, we possess the force to counter any threats. This removes from us—who feel no war panic—the daily anxieties of military oppression."

PARIS EATS TURKEY

[Chicago Tribune Press Service.]

PARIS, Dec. 24.—At 10 o'clock tonight Paris prepared to sit down to the annual Christmas feast. There was plenty of turkey and blood sausage and oysters and goose liver paste, as always, but the Parisian's heart was not in his work. He was disturbed by the wave of strikes.

However, crowds flocked toward the national sanctuaries of St. Eustache Madelein and Notre Dame for evening prayer and meditation. After that there will be eating and drinking. Soldiers from the eastern fortresses have been granted holiday leaves to see their families and about 50,000 of them are in Paris.

YULE IN A HOSPITAL

AMSTERDAM, The Netherlands, Dec. 24.—(AP)—Crown Princess Juliana of the Netherlands, expecting an heir to the throne next month, and her consort, Prince Bernhard, recovering from a motor accident, spent Christmas eve and will spend Christmas in a hospital, where the prince still is confined to bed.

Queen Wilhelmina had a Christmas tree cut from the royal gardens at the Hague, decorated it herself and had it set up in the prince's room. Tomorrow a nurses' choir, by Bernhard's special request, will sing carols from a room adjoining his.

EXTRA FOOD FOR MADRID

MADRID, Dec. 24.—(AP)—The captured city of Teruel was the army's Christmas gift to the Spanish government. The people took the victory calmly, however, as they stood in queues awaiting special rations of tinned beef, coal and one egg per person, authorized for Christmas.

On the outskirts of Teruel and in the city itself, 100,000 government soldiers celebrated by singing and feasting. Special Christmas rations of wine, candy and cigarets were sent

to them as a reward for their successful offensive.

SPANISH REBELS PRAY

SALAMANCA, Spain, Dec. 24.—(AP)—Rebel Spain's second war Christmas will be observed with the traditional religious ceremonies, starting with midnight mass tonight. There will be no public or civil celebrations.

The men in the trenches, facing one of the coldest and wettest Christmases in years, were assured of excellent fare. Towns and villages sent collections of gifts to the front.

Toyshops featured wooden soldiers, machine guns, rifles and cannon.

LEOPOLD HAS PARTY

BRUSSELS, Belgium, Dec. 24.—(AP)—Widower King Leopold III. of the Belgians and Queen Mother Elizabeth made preparations tonight for a joyful family party for the king's three children. Piles of presents have arrived at the palace from Leopold, Grandmother Elizabeth, and the British, Dutch, and Swedish royal families. The children are Josephine Charlotte, 10 years old; Baudouin, 7, and Albert-Felix, 3½.

ITALY "EATS ITALIAN"

ROME, Dec. 24.—(AP)—Italians will have their first "autarchic" Christmas tomorrow. "Autarchic," used by Premier Mussolini to dramatize his ideal of national self-sufficiency, means the Italian people must eat, drink and give "Italian." Foreign imports have been cut to a minimum. Those who formerly drank French champagne this year must toast in "spumante."

Queen Elena tonight was among 1,500,000 Italian women and children participating in a nation-wide celebration of "the day of Mother and Child."

GREETINGS IN PACIFIC

HONOLULU, Dec. 24.—(AP)—Hawaii broadcast Christmas greetings to four lonely islands which recently became potentially important along aviation's equatorial Pacific area. The messages went last night to twelve young Americans who for two years have been keeping the stars and stripes flying on Howland, Baker, and Jarvis islands, and to another group at Kingman Reef.

There was no greeting for Christmas Island, which lies near Kingman Reef and has been claimed by Great Britain.

PORTO RICO GETS RACING

SAN JUAN, Porto Rico, Dec. 24.—(AP)—Blanton Winship, broadcasting Christmas greetings to Porto Rico, mentioned a new dog racing track among the gifts on the island's Christmas tree.

ARGENTINA SWELTERS

BUENOS AIRES, Dec. 24.—(AP)—Argentina will enjoy a typical hot weather Christmas. The temperature was 90 degrees today. Christmas shopping was reported unusually heavy.

PORTUGAL BANS LEVITY

LISBON, Portugal, Dec. 24.—(AP)—A church ban on all public nonreligious Christmas celebrations made the feast a purely religious and family affair for Portugal. The church ruled that such festivities as the traditional dance outside the village church were out of keeping with the true Christmas spirit. Santa Claus has been banished by Portugal's dictatorial government as having no place in Portuguese tradition.

SHANGHAI UP ALL NIGHT

SHANGHAI, Dec. 25 [Saturday].—(AP)—Cabarets remained open all night. For the first time in four months, curfew regulations were lifted to permit celebration of Christmas.

WAR SPIRIT RULED TOKIO

TOKIO, Dec. 25 [Saturday].—(AP)—Japan celebrated today as a national holiday, but not because it was Christmas. It is the eleventh anniversary of the death of Emperor Taisho, father of Emperor Hirohito. With the war spirit ruling Tokio, Santa Clauses were banished from the city's department stores.

RUSSIA IGNORES YULE

MOSCOW, Dec. 24.—(AP)—Russians ignored Christmas, an outlawed holiday in the soviet union for the past twenty years, but looked forward to their big New Year's eve festivities.

Even for the religious tonight will not be Christmas, for most of those who secretly observe religious customs figure the holidays by the old Russian calendar, which brings Christmas on Jan. 7 by western reckoning.

Ornamented fir trees have made their appearance and the stores have been jammed with shoppers for gifts. But for the soviet citizen, the holidays really begin on Dec. 20 and end on Jan. 12.

WORST HOLIDAY TRAFIC JAM PUTS GOTHAM IN KNOT

New York, Dec. 24.—[Special.]—The worst trafic jam Manhattan ever has seen tied homebound motorists in a solid knot at dusk tonight.

Motorists had their worst difficulties in the one-time trolley tunnel that runs under Park avenue just south of Grand Central station. A drizzle outside seemed to block what little ventilation there was and the passengers of cars that emerged after half an hour or more in the fume-filled interior were pale and shaking.

Police put the blame for the unprecedented jam on the fact that office workers, shoppers, and commuters all apparently started home at about the same time, due to the holiday and the inclement weather.

OCEAN SHIP MOVEMENTS.

Arrived.	At.	From.
M'n'eh Bermuda.	New York ..	Bermuda
Western Prince.	Rio de Jan'ro.	New York
Kungsholm	Trinidad	New York
Statendam	Cartagena ..	New York
F.J.Luckenbach.	New Orleans.	Los Angeles
Sailed.	**From.**	**For.**
R. Luckenbach.	New York ..	Los Angeles
Vermar	Philadelphia.	Los Angeles
Carolinia	Charleston ..	San Diego
Pilsudski	New York ..	Havana
Pres. Roosevelt.	New York ..	Hamburg
California	New York ..	San Francisco
Southern Prince.	New York ..	Buenos Aires
Franconia	Southampton.	New York
Pres. Harding .	Southampton.	New York

THE SON OF MAN HATH NOT WHERE TO LAY HIS HEAD

The Human Scene in Old Bethlehem.

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the street laden with stones or brush or grain the people have to step into a doorway to avoid being trampled or crushed. As this is a farming village the donkeys and oxen come home in the evening, each one knowing his master's door.

Veils Worn by Women.

The clothes of the people are long, loose robes with short sleeves. Under this a shorter coat of goat's or camel's hair may be worn. There is an inner shirt of linen made from flax and underdrawers or pantaloons. The girdle is of lether. Women have a variety of veils and headdress, sometimes embroidered with silver and gold or with coins. The favorite colors of festival clothes are blue, scarlet, and purple. Lether sandals are worn.

Around the well at the edge of the village there are gardens where melons and vegetables are grown which the girls of Bethlehem take to the market in Jerusalem five miles away. The vineyards are planted in terraces on the slopes of the hills. In the harvest season watchmen guard the grapes from robbers. They sit on the hills or in towers. The grapes are used for wine, raisins, or are boiled down to a kind of molasses.

Along the base of the cliffs the olive groves look like a silver sea. These also are guarded by watchmen in towers, for the fields are held in common and there are no fences or walls. In November the trees are shaken clean and all the people go to the orchards to take that which belongs to them. The very poor come to take the last few, just as they are allowed to glean the wheat and barley left in the fields.

The olives are ground to a pulp in big stone basins by rolling a heavy stone wheel over them. The pulp is put into baskets, sprinkled, heated and pressed again. The oil is stored in jars or cisterns.

Farmers Camp in Fields.

The fields are several miles from the village and the farmers often go there to work and camp. They carry a lether bag or scrip on their shoulder in which is a thin tough bread, olives and cheese. At night they go to a cave or sleep under a tree. They light a fire of thorn bush.

Their life is plowing, threshing and the vintage. The threshing floors are in the open country on high places so that the wind will carry away the chaff. They thresh out the grain with a slab drawn over the floor by oxen, the driver standing on it. The slab has bits of lava for teeth. The grain is cut with a sickle and gathered into bundles.

The plowing must be done in the wet season, often in the cold and rain. The plows are made of wood and are frail. The oxen are small and only plow half an acre in a day. The seed is plowed under, the plows following each other in a row. One hand is held on the plow, which scratches the surface with a pointed end, and the other is used to carry the goad. Using this goad, the farmer pricks the ox with one end and with the other cleans the earth and weeds from the plow.

Crows Always With Us.

The roads to the fields are rough and slippery in winter. There are stones and thorns in the fields. The seeds sown may fall among thorns or be eaten by crows, mice, or insects. When the grain comes up it may be filled with tares. In a good season the wheat outgrows the tares, but when they ripen together the bitter tares have to be separated, grain by grain.

The land rises to Bethlehem from the sea, where tall, feathery date palms grow, pomegranates, and oranges. There are perfumed, melodious vales, paths bordered with wild roses, purple thistle, the yellow mustard, which often grows to great heights; pink oleanders, arbutus, myrtle, and juniper. The oak and terebinth grow on the lower hills, the cedars on the high mountains. These cedars are floated down the great sea to make timbers for the palaces of the king and for the temple.

The shepherd follows the seasons with his flocks. He walks ahead of the sheep, spying out the best place for them to feed. They know his voice and follow him. The dogs bring up the rear. Sometimes the shepherd has to fight panthers, wolves, bears, and other beasts, as well as robbers of human kind. The shepherd carries a staf or crook. When he comes to a stream he lifts the little lambs in his arms and carries them over. When grass is gone in the hot season he finds bushes higher up on which they feed. There are sheepfolds for shelter on cold nights. These are made of wide stone walls covered with thorns and one end is roofed.

Food in Forest and Field.

The pine forests on sandy ridges bear cones which are gathered, dried on the roofs, and the nut inside used for sweetmeats. Maize of the plain is used for meal and eaten after being parched over a fire. Bread is made from barley as well as wheat. Sour milk is a favorite drink. The farmers have cows for milk, and chickens. The sound of cocks crowing is common. There are partridges in the hills, fish in the lakes and rivers, bee swarms in caves. Water is collected from the roofs in cisterns, and stone wells are also used to store grain and oil. Sometimes they are hidden out in the hills so that the tax gatherers will not find them.

The task of the women is in the homes. They are often at the fountains, where they go with water jars on their shoulders, or with kettles and wood to do their washing. They have small mills in which grain is ground. These are made of two stones, one revolving over the basin of the other. The upper stone has two upright sticks fastened in it which the women grasp. They drag the stone back and forth over the nether stone. They bake bread every day, cook, nurse their children until they are 2 years old, weave woolen garments with spindles and distaff.

The work of the men is that of farmer, woodchopper, carpenter, well digger, ass or camel driver, herdsman, potter. The potter sits before his frame, turning the wheel with his foot. Using prepared clay, he opens a hole in one end with his thumb, widening this and thinning and shaping the clay as he wills against the wheel.

Jordan Valley Desolate.

On the side of Bethlehem away from the sea the hills slope through valleys to the desolate chasms of the Jordan river. Beyond this is the land of Moab, rising sharply to rich plateau. The Jordan, taking its rise in a hundred tributaries in the snowy ravines of the Lebanon country, winds through plains, marshes, and lakes to the Dead sea. There are fountains, flower covered meadows, and sweet waters in the Galilee country, but here the Jordan rolls upon the coast of a bitter sea. On the edges of the sea are flat salt pans or terraced yellow scrubs, thorns, and weeds, with the barren mountains on either side reflected in the water. Within a short ride from this village the desert is reached, the desert of locusts, scorpions, snakes, where jackals howl, panthers roam, and robbers hide.

Near Bethlehem toward the coast is the oldest highway in the world. This is the pathway worn between the first civilizations, that of the Nile and the Euphrates valleys. Along this road pass merchants from Egypt, caravans to Damascus, pilgrims, Roman princes with their litters, the legions behind their shining eagles, chariots and camels, and the patient donkey, which has been the burden bearer for man since the dawn of civilization. Here the children of Israel fought the Philistines, seeing from the burning desert this green land of milk and honey. Here David gathered the tribes together and made himself king and moved on to Jerusalem. Alexander the Great and Nebuchadnezzar and all the conquering hordes of the heathen came this way, like the sands of the sea.

Cling to One God.

Many gods and many ways of life have passed in review before these people of the Judean hills, but they have rejected them all for their own. For a thousand years they have clung to one Lord of all, who was revealed to them in the desert. In this land, which reaches from palm trees to pines and snow, where earthquakes shake the hills and waterspouts ruin their crops, with torrents and cold in the wet season, carpets of grass and flowers in the spring, burning heat in the summer, blight and clouds of locusts, lightning and thunder and fog, they attribute the ordering of their lives and all around them to one God.

The Egyptians and the Persians have offered them strange gods. There have been Baal and Dagon, the pillars of whose temple Samson pulled down; Bacchus, who ruled the Jordan valley; Pan, who first played his pipe in the grottos and among the cedars of Lebanon; Venus, who rose from the sea near Askalon; the great Jupiter of the Romans. But the Jews of Bethlehem and the hills have gone on their way untouched. The Romans have built great fortified cities near them. The Greeks have built palaces and villas, beautiful streets of colonnades, gardens, and amphitheaters, but life in the villages goes on in the manner of old.

Prophets Supply Literature.

There is little art among these people, no sculpture or painting, no literature except the writings of their prophets and law givers. These are written on long strips of parchment in Hebrew and are interpreted into Aramaic, the common language, at morning and evening recitals by their priests. Over the entrance to every home in a little box set in a niche is a writing as follows:

"Hear, O Israel, the Lord our God, the Lord is One."

Religion is their only interest and their music is woven around the songs of the temple. They play the lute and the harp and sing, and in the temple there is an instrument of ten pipes with ten holes in each pipe which is used for hymns and chants. At sunrise at the temple the white robed Levites greet the day with songs, the clashing of cymbals and the sound of trumpets. It is said that the sound of the powerful pipes can be heard over the hills as far away as Bethlehem and Jericho.

The temple, rebuilt by Herod with the aid of a thousand trained priests, is the center of life for them. Its white marble pillars and towers, its gates of plated gold and silver shine from afar off. Here no Greek or Roman may enter. Here is the holy place of Israel, the resting place of the ark of the covenant, the altars of incense and sacrifices, the candlestick with seven arms, the table of shewbread, the only real authority and government which these people recognize. All the rest are oppression and false gods.

Bear Heavy Tax Burden.

The people are heavily burdened with taxes, which are paid in produce by the farmers. There are head taxes, crop taxes, export and import taxes, bridge, harbor, market, and salt taxes. Herod has reduced taxes a little, but it is said that they still consume 40 per cent of the production. The taxes are sold by the government to publicans, who pay a fixed sum and collect all they can from the people as profit. The publicans are deeply hated and feared, but they have the Roman soldiers behind them. The garrisons of soldiers are said to comprise 50,000 men.

The money of the people is rated in terms of gold and silver shekels. One-half shekel must be paid each year into the treasury of the Lord. Herod's copper money is in general use, also the coins of the Greek cities which have on them the heads of various gods. In the temple court this heathen money must be exchanged for Jewish money before it can be used there. There are many wrangles over exchange and each coin is weighed as it is passed.

Instruction until the age of ten years is solely in the scriptures. The children learn to read and recite these verses. Later the boys are taught grammar and the girls may learn embroidery or music. They have many laws of defilement and contamination and keep apart from all other people.

Sects Among the Jews.

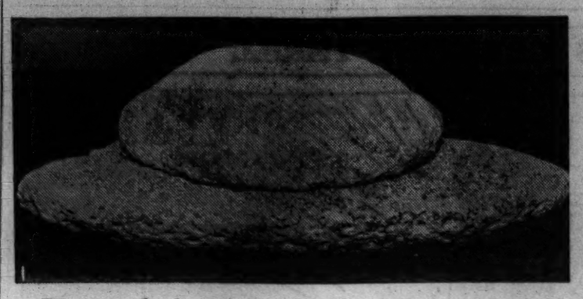
Among the Jews are various sects, such as the Pharisees and the Sadducees. The Pharisees believe that spirits and angels speak to men and they are opposed to slavery. The people believe that evil spirits enter into men and many wear charms against this, such as the teeth of animals. There are Siccari or dagger men who would rise in bloody revolution against the Romans. The Essenes are another sect who live in the wilderness and have renounced all the ways of modern life. The priests are strict about observance of their religious laws and the Sabbath is kept in most holy manner and many feast days are observed. The Pharisees teach observance of all the words and rules in their laws. The rabbi Hillel is more liberal in his teaching. He seeks to sum up the laws in such a rule as this:

"Do not unto others what thou would'st not have done to thyself." There is uneasiness about the danger to family life because of the ease with which divorce is obtained in these days. It is hoped that the new tax laws of the emperor will quiet the people, many of whom are looking for a new king who will lead them in triumph as David did. They believe that their God will conquer the world and bring peace and good will to mankind, and they look for his Son to come in glory to show the way.

Relics from the Time of Christ

(Story starts on page 1.)

Six lamps made of clay and used in the time of Christ. They are now in the collection of the Oriental institute of the University of Chicago. The top three are Greek lamps and the bottom three Roman. All are what is known as the closed type.



Two stones fitted together and used for grinding grain in the time of Christ. [TRIBUNE Photos.]

EVANGELINE BOOTH OF SALVATION ARMY 72 TODAY; QUITS AT 73

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LONDON, Dec. 24.—Evangeline Booth will celebrate tomorrow what may be her last birthday in office as general of the worldwide Salvation army.

Outwardly, it will be the same sort of Christmas birthday she has had for years in her career of service to others. She gave an advance birthday party yesterday to 1,500 poor children in the east end and tomorrow she will celebrate by spending the day with poor patients at Mothers' hospital, the second largest maternity hospital in London.

But Miss Booth will be 72 on this Christmas day and there is a standing regulation of the Salvation army that the general must retire at 73 unless two-thirds of the commissioners on the high council decide otherwise.

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PRESIDENT USES PARABLE IN HIS YULE MESSAGE

Turns On Capital Tree Christmas Lights.

BY WALTER TROHAN.
[Chicago Tribune Press Service.]

Washington, D. C., Dec. 24.—[Special.]—From a newspaper story on how Christmas came to Judas Iscariot, President Roosevelt tonight held out the hope of salvation to dictators and demagogues in a war weary and peace seeking world.

In lighting Washington's community Christmas tree Mr. Roosevelt, by skilful inference, said the message of "peace on earth and good will to men" is extended to include even those with blood stained hands.

The Christmas message seemed to be aimed at warring Japan, war ridden Spain, and war lusting Germany and Italy. Because international affairs are hanging in a delicate balance, Mr. Roosevelt avoided stirring troubled waters with his own words and chose to put his thoughts into another's quotes.

Quotes from Columnist.

He elected to read from a newspaper column, rather than to add to international complications by using his own words. He quoted from a columnist who told of finding an old friend, a dominie, curiously troubled on Christmas eve.

The dominie was troubled because he had to go to his chapel and speak a sermon of peace and good will to men when he knew the world was one of war and hate and enmity. The dominie confessed that, while his friend might laugh at him, he was most concerned in his own plight with how Christmas came to Judas Iscariot.

President Reads Story.

The President read the story as follows:

"It is the habit of my friend when he is troubled by doubts to reach for the Book, and he did so now. He smiled and said, 'Will you assist me in a little experiment? I will close my eyes and you hold out the Bible to me. I will open it at random and run my fingers down a page. You read me the text which I blindly select.'

"I did as he told me, and he happened on the twenty-sixth chapter of St. Matthew and the twenty-fifth verse. I felt sorry for him, for this was no part of the story of the birth of Christ, but instead an account of the great betrayal. 'Read what it says,' commanded the dominie. And I read: 'Then Judas, which betrayed him, answered him and said, "Master, it is I?" He said unto him, Thou hast said.'"

Selects Another Verse.

"My friend frowned, but then he looked at me in triumph. 'Now I remember. My hand is not as steady as it used to be. You should have taken the lower part of my finger and not the top. Read the twenty-seventh verse. It is not an eighth of an inch away. Read what it says.'

"And I read: 'And He took the cup, and gave thanks, and gave it to them, saying, "Drink ye all of it."'

"'Mark that!' cried the old man exultantly. 'Not even to Judas, the betrayer, was the wine of life denied. I can preach my Christian sermon now and my text will be, "Drink ye all of it. Good will toward men means good will to every last son of God. Peace on earth means peace to Pilate, peace to the thieves on the cross, and peace to poor Iscariot."'

"I was glad, for he had found Christmas, and I saw by his face that once more he heard the voice of the herald angels."

Tree Lights Flash On.

At the conclusion of his message Mr. Roosevelt touched a button which bedazzled the gloom of Lafayette square, fronting the White House with Christmas tree lights.

From the tree he turned to the White House where he spent his usual Christmas eve in reading from Dickens "A Christmas Carol" to his children and his children's children. This custom he began when his first child, now Mrs. Anna Boettiger, who is ill in Seattle, was unable to understand the story. Tomorrow stockings and gifts for the children of the presidential family will be opened in the White House.

Open Gifts Today.

Gifts for the adults will be opened tomorrow afternoon after church services at the Covenant-First Presbyterian church. Observation of the Christmas season for the President began at noon today when he received members of the official family. To each he gave a remembrance of the season and a greeting. In the afternoon he received families of his staf.

Mrs. Roosevelt was not at his side because she changed earlier plans and took a plane for Seattle to spend Christmas with the family of her daughter, Anna.

Merry Christmas EVERYBODY! Will you come and dine with us? We've delicious TURKEY dinners, complete from savory soups to Plum Puddings, with stuffin' that is sagey and delicious, with cranberries that make everything taste better, with vegetables just *like you like*, with *cups* of delicious coffee, with all the pleasant fixins . . . and we'll serve it deftly, pleasantly, *so* cheerfully.

6 S. CLARK ST. AND FIVE OTHERS IN THE LOOP

White House Tree

(Story in adjoining column.)

[Associated Press Wirephoto.]

Child gazing in wonder at Christmas tree erected in the famous east room of the White House. There is another one in the private living quarters of President and his family.

COLD WIND CHILLS HOPE FOR WHITE CHRISTMAS DAY

With a cold wave moving down from the northwest, the weather bureau last night forecast temperatures reaching 10 degrees above zero for today. The possibility of snow dwindled as the wind veered to the northwest, and Forecaster C. A. Donnel said Christmas day will be fair. The cold will remain tomorrow with the maximum temperature hovering at about 15 above. Chicago enjoyed mild weather yesterday, the mercury remaining at 37 degrees most of the day.

Meanwhile other parts of the country were having disagreeable weather. Practically all planes were grounded in the east, delaying several hundred Christmas travelers. No planes arrived from or left for the east at the municipal airport because of poor visibility and dangerous ice conditions. Several Michigan counties reported highways icy and almost impassable.

DECEMBER MAIL VOLUME EXCEEDS 1936 MARK BY 10%

As the Christmas rush subsided Postmaster Ernest J. Kruetgen reported yesterday that from Dec. 1 to 23 there was a 10 per cent increase in practically all classes of mail service except parcel post over the same period last year. Deliveries will be made all day today in the parcel post and special delivery departments.

The peak day, Thursday, saw the handling of 22,254,405 pieces of first class mail, an increase of 7 per cent over the same day last year. It was the largest single day's volume since 1929.

In the parcel post division, 114,413 sacks of mail were handled on Thursday, an increase of 1 per cent over the corresponding day in 1936. Cash receipts decreased 10 per cent to $292,347.

CHORAL SOCIETY SINGS BETHLEHEM ORATORIO TODAY

The Bethlehem Oratorio will be sung by the Civic Choral society on the W-G-N Christmas music broadcast from 10:30 to 11:30 o'clock this morning through loudspeakers on the Tribune Tower façade. The group, directed by William F. Mullen, will be assisted by Miss Alice Blue, pianist, and Len Salvo, organist. The program, which also will be broadcast through the station's regular channels, will conclude the seventh annual Christmas music series.

Mayor Opens Bridewell Gates for 54 Prisoners

Fifty-four Bridewell prisoners yesterday were given back their clothes, thoroughly cleaned. Then, washed, shaved and with their shoes shined, they were lined up at the exit gate and given their freedom and a "Merry Christmas" by Superintendent Edward Denemark. Mayor Kelly signed pardons for the men whose sentences of from five to a hundred days on minor charges were nearly completed.

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ALL-STAR SHRINE WINTER CIRCUS TO OPEN TONIGHT

Wedding to Precede First Show.

Topline acts from the nation's leading shows will be together under one top tonight when the Shrine Winter circus opens for evening and matinee performances until Jan. 8. The circus is under the auspices of Medinah Temple.

Acts and stars have been gathered from Ringling Brothers-Barnum & Bailey, Hagenbeck, and Forepaugh's shows. There will be more than 200 performers presenting 60 acts each afternoon and evening. Most of them arrived early in the week from winter quarters of their respective circuses.

Big Advance Sale.

The show will be held in the International amphitheater at Halsted and 43d streets, where a large advance sale of tickets is reported. Shriners in charge expect an attendance of 300,000 or more before the two weeks' engagement ends.

Just before the grand inaugural of the circus tonight there will be a wedding in the central arena of two of the star performers. Miss Dorothy Herbert and Johnny Farthing will be married by Municipal Judge Cecil C. Smith, who will be dressed in riding costume.

Stars on Horseback.

Miss Herbert, who is 25 years old and a resident of Scottsburg, Ind., is an equestrienne while Farthing, who is 27 years old and lives in Ardmore, Okla., is a cowboy star with the Tim McCoy wild west show that is a part of Ringling Brothers-Barnum & Bailey.

The principals will go through the ceremony in line with circus tradition, on horseback. Miss Antoinette Concello, famous trapeze performer, will be maid of honor. Farthing will be attended by Hoot Gibson of wild west and movie reputation. Other headliners of the circus will be members of the wedding party.

BET BROKER AND CAB LAWS SIGNED BY MAYOR KELLY

Mayor Kelly yesterday signed the new betting broker and taxicab ordinances, which were passed Wednesday by the city council. The broker ordinance will be published Monday and becomes effective Jan. 6. Officials of the Yellow and Checker taxi companies have thirty days in which to accept the cab ordinance before it goes into effect.

The broker ordinance is designed to eliminate the illegal handbooks, setting up a system of betting at pari-mutuel race tracks through commission men. License fees ranging from $5,000 to $1,000 are expected to yield $2,000,000 a year.

The taxi ordinance provides for an increase of 5 cents in the present 15 cent flag-pull charge. It also extends until 1945 the franchise for the two companies and requires them to eliminate 1,166 cabs by March 1.

Abandon Plan to Use Club as Student Dormitory

With the filing of a reorganization plan for the Lake Shore Athletic club, 850 Lake Shore drive, with Judge Charles E. Woodward in Federal District court on Thursday, it was learned that negotiations for use of the property by Northwestern university for a social center and dormitory had been abandoned. According to Attorney Lawrence Hastings, the reorganization plan calls for use of the entire building by the club.

BUSY HOLIDAY SEASON PLANNED BY SCIENTISTS

Delve Into Research at Annual Meetings.

Hundreds of Chicago scientists, chiefly groups from the University of Chicago and Northwestern university, will leave their families and Christmas trees tomorrow to take part in the annual meetings of various scientific societies which will continue through the classroom holidays.

The chief attraction is the annual meeting of the American Association for the Advancement of Science and its affiliated societies, which will be held in Indianapolis beginning next Monday. More than 1,200 scientific papers will be read at these gatherings, covering every subject of scientific research.

Compton to Show Ray Data.

Charts and diagrams showing compiled results of recent cosmic ray measurements on the Pacific ocean and at various observatories, also a new set of counting tubes for the measurement of cosmic rays under ground, will be exhibited at Indianapolis by Prof. Arthur H. Compton of the University of Chicago.

Prof. Harold C. Urey of Columbia university will exhibit samples of heavy water and heavy nitrogen and will show the method of distillation. Scientific results of observations of the total eclipse of the sun as observed by the National Geographic society-United States navy expedition to the mid-Pacific, will be a feature of the exhibition. Improved photographs of the sun's corona were obtained.

Professors William D. Harkins and John D. Kirkwood of the University of Chicago will deliver a joint paper before the American Physical society at Indianapolis. Professors W. C. Allee and A. E. Emerson and eleven other members of the zoölogy department at Chicago will take part in the meetings of zoölogists and geneticists. Dean William H. Taliaferro of the division of biological sciences and others in that group will appear before the parasitologists. Prof. William S. Gray, executive chairman of the education department, will preside over the educational section of the Indianapolis gathering. Prof. Gilbert A. Bliss will talk at the mathematics section.

Twenty Societies to Meet.

Forty-six professors from nine departments of Northwestern will read papers at meetings of twenty learned societies during the holidays. In addition the university will act as host to the Modern Language association, which meets at the Drake hotel Dec. 28-30.

Prof. Robert H. Gault of Northwestern's psychology department, will discuss experiments in mental telepathy at the Indianapolis meeting. Prof. R. H. Seashore of the same department will present his classification of the fields of pure and applied psychology.

Prof. Ellsworth Faris, chairman of the sociology department at the University of Chicago and president of the American Sociology society, will address that organization at Atlantic City. Prof. A. A. Mowrer of Northwestern will read a paper on "Ecology of Family Disorganization in Chicago," at the Atlantic City meeting.

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IT'S ALL IN FUN

8,000 CHILDREN MADE HAPPY BY GOOD FELLOWS

29th Christmas Sets New Record of Service.

[Continued from first page.]

the mother, probably because she was so tired, mistook the Good Fellows for Santa Claus.

"Here they are, Danny," she cried. "Santa has come!" She looked wonderingly at the food and toys, then sank down beside the heaped basket. She held her head down a moment, and no one but Danny knew she was crying. And Danny only knew it because he was so small, and had to look up into her eyes to be sure what she had said was really true.

A BASKET FOR SEVEN

BY VIRGINIA GARDNER.

The Good Fellow car bounded over ruts in a Vine street block more like an alley than a street, went past refuse heaps and pulled up before a house whose paintless timbers miraculously hung together. From behind clean white curtains on the second floor little black faces peered out, broke into brilliant toothy smiles. Feet clattered down the narrow wooden stairway and a door was thrown open.

Gentle and quiet, with shining eyes and teeth, the seven children clustered around a tiny iron stove while Carolyn, 11 years old, knelt before it and distributed gifts from the overflowing basket. Then she put the turkey and the foodstuffs away. The mother was away, their father away for good.

Marion, a boy, 7 years old, had a doll marked to him by mistake. It did not dismay him. He gave a cry of delight.

"Roberta can have it. It's just what she wanted," he said, and, reaching out from a jacket sleeve that was little more than a wristlet, he grasped the doll and tenderly placed it in the arms of his little sister.

He got her present, and it never occurred to him that stringing beads for jewelry is less fun for a boy than a girl.

THEIR 1ST RADIO ARRIVES

BY ROBERT CROMIE.

"Christmas," said the colored man in the dimly lit hallway, grinning as the Good Fellows passed with a basket heaped with food and toys, topped by a radio.

"Christmas!" echoed a woman three flights up. "That's wonderful. I thought we wasn't going to get anything. Vera Mae cried all day yesterday because she hated to see Christmas come."

When the radio was unpacked and suddenly filled the tiny apartment with music, five childish voices stopped to listen, and Ford, who is 2 years old, and Minnie, 4, began to dance their own version of the Big Apple. The mother sat down on the bed.

"We never in our lives had a radio," she said. "The kids used to go down the hall at night and listen to radio bedtime stories at other doors, but we never had one."

The father, who has a heart ailment and hasn't worked for months, came in from the relief station in time to supervise stowing the turkey away in the ice box, newly filled with ice, and as the Good Fellows left sounds of the radio followed them down the stairs. It was playing "Silent Night, Holy Night."

GEE, THANKS A MILLION

BY H. S. KOGAN.

Four sad-eyed children peered from behind the tattered curtains as the two Good Fellow messengers descended the rickety stairs to a basement flat in South Canal street.

Five minutes later, their eyes filled with joyous wonder, the children fondled the toys they had drawn from the big basket of Christmas cheer.

The father, unemployed, smiled timidly and held out his hand: "Gee, fellows, thanks a million. This is a godsend!" The mother smoothed her dress, stared for a moment at the food in the basket and at the new radio: "It's a miracle that someone thought of us, a miracle!" hold.

Carl, the father, an unemployed carpenter, beamed his gratitude. Harriet, the mother, silently clasped the hands of the Good Fellow messengers. Ruthie, Edna, and Bobbie danced about to music from the new radio. And Carl Jr., 12, the eldest child, who sells newspapers after school to aid the family, grinned broadly: "Maybe you fellows ain't got white beards and red coats but, oh boy, you're a coupla Santa Clauses to us!"

NO STANDING IN LINE

BY GREER WILLIAMS.

Relief groceries do not go far when there are five mouths to feed and Christmas calls for plentitude. Therefore, a young Italian widow took her son, Gildo, 10 years old, and went to stand in the food basket line at the Volunteers of America station at Washington boulevard and Francisco avenue. She left Emma, 8 years old, in charge of Eva, 6, and Victoria, 4, in their bare little third floor rear flat on West Adams street.

That was the way the Good Fellow found them, waiting for mother and Gildo to bring home a basket. The quantity of food, the candy, the presents for every one, and the radio the Goodfellow brought were far more than their mother, whose husband died four years ago, had hoped for. One of the neighbor's children went to get mother and son from the line. The Volunteers at the station marked her application card "taken care of." With that, the widow and her children happily agreed.

NO WAITING IN VAIN

BY BETTY BROWNING.

On West Armitage avenue four curly-haired children came swarming down to greet the Good Fellows even before there was time to unload the big basket of food and toys. Nancy, 8 years old, explained that a Good Fellow had come last Christmas, and that they had been waiting all morning in the hope that some one would come again.

In their neat apartment, up a dark, uncarpeted flight of stairs the mother, curly-haired too and pretty, smiled a shy greeting. Little Sheila, 16 months old and next to the youngest, shrank back in momentary awe when presented with a baby giant panda, but hugged close a doll that cried. Richard, a 3 year old cherub with round blue eyes, pulled a toy wooden horse around.

Edward, 9 years old, the eldest, came running in, and Dickie and Joe came forward with his present, crying together, "This is for you." While they were all busy setting up the little croquet set that was in Edward's box, the mother whispered, "I'm so glad you've come. My husband hasn't any work—don't know what we could have done—"

Made Happy by Good Fellows

(Story starts on page 1.)

Francis, age 2½ years, tinkering with the toy horse left by Good Fellow in impoverished home on West Palmer street.

Bobbie, Edna, and Ruth (left to right) wave good-by to Good Fellow who included dolls among his presents when he called on their home.

Diana, 2 years old, was a bit frightened at the idea of having her picture taken carrying a box left by Good Fellow.

[TRIBUNE Photos.]

Adrienne, age 14 months, liked her new doll very much.

POPE HITS NAZIS; SAYS CHRISTIANS ARE PERSECUTED

Denies Church Plays Political Role.

VATICAN CITY, Dec. 24.—(AP)—Pope Pius XI. today told twenty-nine cardinals who gathered to offer him Christmas greetings that he was saddened by religious persecution in Germany "such as there has rarely been." He said a charge that the church has engaged in politics was used as a "justification" of persecution. A semi-official summary showed the aging pontiff denied this allegation repeatedly in his remarks.

The summary quoted Pope Pius as saying:

"Were it true that we engage in politics, as attributed to us, with so much being said about armaments and war there should be somewhere some small and even ridiculous effort to come to our aid.

"We have no need of this and say with Jesus Christ: 'Regnum meum non est de hoc mundo [my reign is not of this world].'

Repeats Denials.

"We do not think of engaging in politics. We wish to say, to repeat, to protest in the face of the entire world we do not engage in politics."

The pope, the summary declared, referred to denials of persecution in Germany, and said in reply:

"We know there is, and that it is a persecution such as there rarely has been, so fearful, grave, and already so productive in its sad effects. It is a persecution, it is sad to say, in which there has not been lacking, nor does there now lack, nor does it seem to be desired there should lack either of brutality, of violence, of insidiousness and deceptions, of falsity and lies."

Calls for Prayer.

The pope illustrated his statements, the summary said, by referring "both to the accusations made before Pilate against Christ himself and to replies the Redeemer made to those accusations."

He said nothing remained for the church but to call on God "to come to the aid of so many of his faithful, who are suffering so much in Germany and other countries." Germany was the only land specifically mentioned.

Boasts He Will Get Money with Gun; Seized by Police

While seated in a tavern at 6001 South Halsted street with his wife last evening, Detective Arvid Essen of the New City police heard a man behind him say: "I've got to have cash and this is going to get it." Essen whirled around and arrested Roy McCoy, 26 years old, of 5935 South Peoria street, just as he was laying his hand on a pistol stuck into the band of his trousers. With McCoy was Napoleon Garciao, 32 years old, of 1352 North Bell avenue, who was ordered held for questioning.

O'Donnell Told to Scram; He's No Longer a 'Big Shot'

Edward [Spike] O'Donnell, once a beer baron, was freed yesterday from the detective bureau where he had rested since Tuesday. He was told to stay out of the city hall, where he had been arrested for loitering; that he no longer was a big shot, so no longer entitled to loaf there, and to scram on home for Christmas.

Boy Searching for Santa Falls from Elevator; Dies

Pittsburgh, Pa., Dec. 24.—(AP)—Charles Cooper, 8 years old, searching for Santa Claus in a department store today, fell from an elevator and was crushed to death.

6 Slain, 6 Wounded as Rival Union Men Battle in Mexico

MEXICO CITY, Dec. 24.—(AP)—The Confederation of Workers of Mexico reported today that six members were killed and six wounded in a clash with a rival union at Manzanillo, State of Colima. The confederation sent a telegram to President Cardenas charging that members of a Manzanillo stevedore union of the rival Regional Confederation of Mexican Workers attacked the 12 men. The message demanded punishment of those responsible.

LOVE BUG BITES PRINCE WHEN HE MEETS RUSSIAN

Ex-Kaiser's Permission to Wed Will Be Sought.

BERLIN, Dec. 24.—(AP)—A Christmas romance that was expected to bring an announcement of the engagement of Prince Louis Ferdinand, son of the former crown prince of Germany, and Princess Kira, daughter of Grand Duke Cyril, pretender to Russia's nonexistent throne, was reported here today.

This account of the royal love story described the prince, who once was a mechanic in a Ford factory in Detroit, as having wooed his princess with the speed he learned in America.

Public announcement of the engagement cannot be made until the head of the house of Hohenzollern, Germany's wartime kaiser, Wilhelm II., gives his consent from his exile at Doorn, the Netherlands.

Will Seek Wilhelm's O. K.

It was learned Prince Louis planned to go to Doorn in a few days to ask the blessings of his grandfather.

When Prince Wilhelm, the crown prince's eldest son, married a commoner in 1933 he lost his rights of succession, and Prince Louis, the second son, became heir after his father to headship of the onetime imperial house.

The prince's attraction to the comely, blue-eyed Princess Kira, who is 28 years old, was said to be a case of love at sight. But his youngest brother, Prince Frederick, was cast in the rôle of an intuitive cupid.

First Seen in London.

Frederick met the princess and her brother, Grand Duke Vladimir, at a party in London. Princess Kira appealed to him as a girl who would attract his brother. So without revealing his romantic plan he wrote to his mother, Crown Princess Cecile, at Potsdam, suggesting it would be nice to have the two Russian relatives as guests at Cecilienhof castle for the holidays.

The princess and her brother arrived at Potsdam yesterday morning. By sundown they were helping to decorate the family Christmas tree.

Prince Louis Ferdinand stood by admiring. Seeing and falling in love were simultaneous.

"Girl of My Choice"

The prince, leading the princess, entered the family social hall.

"This is the girl of my choice," he told his father.

His mother and other members of the immediate family had retired, and were awakened to celebrate.

The tall, slender prince, who says he speaks English with a Ford accent, is a distant relative of the princess. He once decided to enter the automobile business, went to Detroit, where he also learned the rudiments of aviation, and worked as a simple mechanic. He is an aviation lieutenant in the reserve and employed as an expert on foreign routes by the Lufthansa, the German air line.

OLD CHRISTMAS SPIRIT GONE AT TAMMANY HALL

New York, Dec. 24.—[Special.]—Lean years have fallen on doughty Tammany braves, erstwhile dispensers of Christmas baskets and Christmas joy to loyal voters. This Christmas, it appears, there was a great derth of loyal voters; as a consequence there are no Christmas baskets.

As far as could be learned, there was no Christmas for Tammany hall, with one possible exception. Certainly there was no Santa Claus.

"No baskets given out this year," a young woman secretary on the second floor of Tammany hall mourned today. "We lost in the election. Didn't you hear about that?"

The only seeming exception to this gloomy picture was at the Paul E. Santangelo association, the regular Democratic club of the 1st assembly district. Christmas baskets, 1,500 of them, were distributed today despite the theft last night of the Yuletide funds.

DARK AGE ITEM: RUNS 2 MILES TO REPORT CITY FIRE

The city of Joliet prides itself on its modern fire-fighting system, but what can it do about people like this:

A youth ran two miles through thickly populated sections of the city yesterday to turn in an alarm at the downtown engine house. On his way he passed Engine House No. 4 and three fire alarm boxes. He told firemen that he did not see these, nor think of a telephone.

Yet his alarm was the first to be turned in on the fire blazing on the roof of the Sons of Italy club house, 413 Meeker avenue. It was extinguished with $100 damage.

Firemen did not get the runner's name.

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Freed by Kidnapers

[Associated Press Wirephoto.]

John Bryan Jr., 3, who was seized with nursemaid yesterday in Centerville, Ind., home, then freed when abductors' plan to collect ransom was frustrated.

KIDNAP BABY, 3, AND NURSEMAID, THEN FREE BOTH

Mother Also Seized, but Soon Released.

Centerville, Ind., Dec. 24.—[Special.]—The baby son of a Centerville banker and his nursemaid were freed unharmed tonight several hours after the child had been kidnaped for $3,800 ransom by two men who escaped after a gun battle with the boy's father. No trace of the abductors has been found.

State police, who laid down an elaborate road blockade over eastern Indiana, said the abductors apparently had planned a speedy kidnaping for a modest ransom. No money was paid, however, the plot being thwarted by the quickness with which townsfolk sped to the rescue.

The kidnaping occurred just as John Bryan, cashier of the Centerville State bank, and his wife had completed preparations for a gay Christmas eve for their only son, John Jr., 3 years old. The child was playing under the Christmas tree when he was carried away.

Force Way Into Home.

Bryan was winding up his day's work at the bank. Mrs. Bryan went there to confer with him about last minute Christmas plans. A telephone call to her at the bank from the child's nurse, Miss Ruth Schrey, 17 years old, was the first indication she had that her son was in danger.

The two kidnapers had driven up to the Bryan home in a green coach automobile about 2:30 p. m. They forced their way into the house and told the nurse they intended to kidnap the boy unless they obtained money. They made her telephone Mrs. Bryan at the bank, telling her there was trouble at home.

Mrs. Bryan hurried home, a distance of three short blocks from the bank. As she walked in one of the kidnapers told her:

"This is a kidnaping and we want $3,800 as fast as you can get it."

They forced her to telephone Mark Stevens, president of the bank, but would only let her tell him to "bring $3,800, quick." Informed of the call, Byran ran out of the bank calling for help.

Speed to Bryan Home.

He passed the grocery of Julian Dunbar, told him of the trouble, and then ran to William Hammerman's garage. Dunbar immediately jumped into his truck and sped to the Bryan home. His quick arrival frustrated the abductor's plans.

The kidnapers believed he was Bryan and became so enraged when he told them he didn't have the money they threatened to kill every one in the house. One of the men forced him and Mrs. Bryan to get into the Bryan automobile, parked in the yard. The other took the nursemaid and the boy into the green car.

The two cars were just driving away when Bryan, Hammerman and several other citizens arrived in a car. Bryan and his friends fired several shots at the cars and the gunmen returned the fire until they outdistanced their pursuers.

Threatens to Kill Pair.

The kidnaper of Mrs. Bryan and Dunbar was so overcome with fury because his plans went awry that he threatened to kill them and himself. But he let them out of the car near Cambridge City, thirteen miles north of Centerville.

Miss Schrey said their abductor became more worried as the time passed and his associate did not appear. He finally told her he would have to release them, because he had no plans to take her and the child away and hold them prisoners.

He drove into the farm lane of Wilbert Thomas, who lives near Greens Fork, and let them out of the car. Thomas drove the nurse and the child back to their home.

EXPRESS TRAIN RAMS ANOTHER; 10 PERSONS HURT

Hopkinsville, Ky., Dec. 24.—(AP)—A 10-car mail and express section of a Louisville and Nashville train, en route from Nashville, Tenn., to St. Louis, Mo., tonight rammed the rear of an 11-car passenger section which had stopped here.

At least ten persons received emergency treatment at a Hopkinsville hospital.

S. E. Harris of Evansville, Ind., engineer of the express section, said the air lines connecting at least two cars of his train and controlling their brakes had been cut, preventing him reaching a full halt before the crash.

AUTO MASSACRE BRINGS TRAGEDY TO MANY HOMES

Holiday Marked by Long List of Deaths.

The automobile massacre continued yesterday and last night as Christmas eve spelled tragedy for the victims and their families. Several of the accidents were caused by hit and run drivers.

One youngster who will open no packages from Santa Claus today was Robert Porterfield, 7 years old, 9861 Prospect avenue. He died in the Little Company of Mary hospital of injuries received when he was struck by an automobile Thursday night in front of 9763 Beverly avenue.

"For the sake of Bobbie's sisters, Margaret, 5 years old, and Mary, who is 4, there will be Christmas at our home," said his father, John A. Porterfield, an Illinois Central railroad clerk, "but his presents will never be opened."

Driver Attends Inquest.

Russell L. Young, 23 years old, 1924 West 78th street, driver of the car that hit Robert, attended the inquest yesterday. The hearing was continued to Jan. 7. Testimony was that Robert was on his way home from a movie with playmates when he was struck down.

Speeding down the Milwaukee avenue viaduct over the Chicago and North Western railroad tracks at Jefferson street, a car crash headon into a truck early yesterday. Andrew Utaszewski, 30 years old, 2235 McLean street, was killed and Walter Gierzewski, 53 years old, 1453 Huron street, another occupant of the car, was seriously injured.

Eugene Rudek, 25 years old, 1617 North Winchester avenue, driver of the car, was arrested several hours later when he applied at the North Avenue hospital for treatment of a head injury. The two occupants of the truck received first aid.

Dies of Injuries.

Joseph Baron, 61 years old, 2261 Broadway, Blue Island, died in the County hospital yesterday from injuries received Thursday when he was struck near his home by an automobile driven by Melvin Alberts, 22 years old, 2628 Broadway, Blue Island. Baron's wife, Victoria, was killed eight years ago by an automobile.

Mrs. Annie O'Donnell, 68 years old, 1912 Van Buren street, who was struck by a hit and run motorist on Nov. 24, died in the County hospital yesterday. The accident occurred at Van Buren street and Francisco avenue.

Frank Linden, 45 years old, died in the county hospital last night of injuries incurred Monday when he was struck by an automobile at 39th street and Michigan avenue. The driver of the car was Jacob Jacobs, 42 years old, 513 West 66th street.

Another Pedestrian Dies.

Mrs. Ora Law, 50 years old, 154 North Pine avenue, died in the Garfield Park hospital yesterday from injuries incurred Wednesday when she was struck by an automobile at Washington boulevard and Pine avenue.

Anthony Volk, 54 years old, 9521 Avenue M, was killed last night when he was hit by a laundry truck at Ewing avenue and 96th street. The truck was driven by Ray G. Uphold, 50 years old, of 9925 Avenue H.

Mrs. David B. Graham, 65 years old, of the Louis Joliet hotel in Joliet, was injured fatally last night when the automobile in which she was sitting in front of the home of her daughter, Mrs. Kent H. Parker, 729 9th street, Wilmette, was struck by another car. The driver, Mrs. P. V. Bright of 731 Ashland avenue, Wilmette, said that she lost control of her machine on the slippery streets.

An unidentified woman, about 50 years old, was found fatally injured last evening at Vincennes avenue and 69th street, apparently the victim of a hit and run driver.

Hit and Run Death.

Ralph Chaper, 44 years old, 2004 West 70th street, was fatally injured last night when he was struck by the auto of a hit and run driver in front of 4358 Wentworth avenue.

The village of North Chicago had its second traffic fatality of 1937 when Joseph Paiser, 55 years old, of Washington Park, died in the Lake county hospital as the result of injuries incurred Thursday night when he was struck by the auto of George Rockingham of North Chicago.

Thomas Hughes, 72 years old, 2228 North Avers avenue, was killed last night when he was struck by an automobile at Avers and Fullerton avenues. The driver, William Schwanke, 39 years old, 2717 North Kilpatrick avenue, was held by police.

Lemont Township Youth Killed.

Thomas Shuda, 15 years old, of 134 New street, Lemont township, was killed last night when struck by the automobile of Urban Gerharz, an undertaker, 712 State street, in the suburb. Gerharz told highway police he was blinded by headlights of another car and he did not see the youth, who was struck as he crossed New street near his home.

Mrs. Augusta Laskowski, 50 years old, 5011 South Paulina street, was killed by an automobile last night at 50th street and Ashland avenue. The driver, John Poinpek, 29 years old, of 6034 South Union avenue, was held by the New City police.

Gus Anderson, 60 years old, of 652 South State street, was injured fatally last night when he was struck by the automobile of Leo Beale, 1950 East 71st street. Anderson's skull was fractured and he died later at St. Luke's hospital. The driver was not held.

Another young victim yesterday was an unidentified girl, about 12 years old, who was fatally injured when she was hit by an automobile at Archer and Homan avenues. The driver of the car was Reinhold Lueder, 42, a machinist of Fort Hopkinson, Wis.

A man tentatively identified as Ludwig Kopczinski, 57 years old, was fatally injured last night when he was struck by a car at Ashland avenue and 49th street. The driver was John J. Ryan, 4815 South Paulina street.

An unidentified man, about 40 years old, was killed last night when he was struck by an automobile at Roosevelt road and Fairfield avenue. The driver was Miss Claire Scalfaro, 23 years old, 1226 South 61st court, Cicero.

Mrs. Irene Kolanowski, 27 years old, 2082 Milwaukee avenue, was killed by an automobile early this morning at Wood and Division streets. The driver, Stanley Brzostowski, 32 years old, 2252 Augusta boulevard, was held.

Rado Entertainers in Crash.

Eight people, all radio entertainers, were injured last night when two automobiles in which they were riding crashed into a railroad abutment at 345 North Western avenue.

The injured were: Charles Hurt, 36 years old, 3251 Washington boulevard, and three passengers in his car, Floyd Holmes, 27, and his wife Christine, 24, and William Lessenberry, all of 3108 Washington boulevard, and Jack Taylor, 26, and his passengers, who were his wife, Clina, and his two sisters, Alma and Winona, all of 3251 Washington boulevard. All were taken to St. Mary's hospital.

Up to 4 p. m. yesterday 1,067 persons had been killed by automobiles in Cook county since Jan. 1. Of these 813 were killed in Chicago, where 22,307 were injured in the same period.

[See editorial page for massacre clock.]

Trailerites Try to Keep Smiling Far from Home

This is another of a series of articles by Hal Foust, automobile editor of The Tribune, on a trailer trip in the south with his family.

BY HAL FOUST.

[Chicago Tribune Press Service.]

Trailer Camp, Sarasota, Fla., Dec. 24.—[Special.]—A Merry Christmas from the quarter of a million trailerites in Florida, far from their homes, families, relatives, and life long friends.

Here in the largest of the 448 licensed camps in the state, there are 974 of us in 383 trailers. We're trying our best to be happy on this day of good cheer. The effort is apparent in some of the wheeled cabins.

In the 19 by 7 foot residence towed here by The Tribune automobile, my daughter, Norma, 9 years old, has a Christmas tree, which I have accidentally upset twice in twelve hours, and she's going to hang up her stocking tonight by the chimney from the kerosene heater.

Good Sport About It.

It isn't her first Christmas away from home and she's a good sport about it, but I know she'd like to be at her own fireplace to enjoy her presents with her grandparents, aunts and uncles, and playmates.

Of the trailer parties here, there are only 60 children. Most of the folks are of an age for their children to be grown and too busy earning a livelihood up north to enjoy a vacation here.

There was a Christmas entertainment for the children last night in the recreation hall at the city-owned camp. Little boys and girls, offspring of highway wanderers, sang Christmas carols and received presents from Santa Claus. The audience numbered approximately 650, husbands and wives of ages to have grandchildren back north looking forward to Santa Claus tonight.

Reminds Them of Anabelle.

"Does she remind you of Anabelle?" a wrinkle faced and bold trailerite whispered while a small girl was reciting a piece. "Sure does," answered his gray haired wife, turning her head so that any tears in her eyes would not be seen.

You'll like these trailer folks when you know them. Later articles in this series will introduce some of them. Most of them are retired, on pensions or insurance policies, or on modest incomes from a lifetime of savings or from small inheritances. They've retired from competitive society without having been whipped. Their philosophy is without envy, without even acquisitiveness. Their deportment is as kindly as the teachings of Jesus.

Temperature 92 Degrees.

In the rows of trailers which form streets covering 57 acres, radios are playing holiday music. There are wreaths of holly in cabin windows. The sky has cleared sending the thermometer at the shuffle board court to 92 degrees. On the streets strangers exchange holiday greetings.

"You won't be homesick after the holidays are over," Joseph Louy, pensioned Chicago park district policeman, consoled his wife, Jessie.

Dear Dad: Get in the car with the children and while Mother is busy with the dinner, drive to the *nearest* Mrs. Snyder's for the candy you all like the best . . . or for THAT GIFT you want to give today. Here are the shops that are open:

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Moving Forward

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BENEFITS FORGOT

By CALEB

OUR national and world-wide holidays, for the most part, started humbly. Out of travail and suffering grew great things our holidays are supposed to commemorate. But the more widespread the recognition of a holiday becomes, the less commemorative seems its celebration, and the more the occasion of its birth seems forgotten.

For instance, empty platitudinous Fourth of July speeches bear little relationship to the tense and sober proceedings of the Continental fathers. If we swell with pride at the prominence of this nation's position in the world today, what of our position at the time of that solemn ultimatum to George III, mightiest ruler of his day, King of Great Britain and Ireland? We make of the Fourth a holiday, but the original Fourth's significance and its great gifts to us are largely benefits forgot.

The Fourth of July is not alone. Almost two thousand years ago, a man from Nazareth and his wife were turned from an inn in Bethlehem. In lieu of quarters therein, they were housed in the stable where accommodations had been prepared for the inn's overflow. It was tax-declaring time and the village was crowded.

In the clean hay which made a bed in a manger, a baby was born to the woman from Nazareth. He grew up and lived the only militant life known which exemplified the rule it prompted—the Golden Rule.

Jesus of Nazareth lived the most influential life ever lived on this earth. Diluted by centuries of vague second-hand telling, made anemic by sponsors who wanted suffering and pathos in a saviour they used as a symbol, the stories of Jesus have nevertheless slowly winged their way through the centuries and given Christianity to the earth.

Camels and stars and mangers on cards hardly serve to turn the head and heart to serious consideration of the cause of the celebration. Saint Nicholas, with his doctrine of benevolence, has largely usurped the day's worship. He is good and brings a softening, generous influence into the brash old world. But on the holiday celebrated as the natal day of Jesus of Nazareth, we like to think of people paying homage, too, to the great author of Christmas.

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Electrologist—
legacy for family of late resident in Tientsin, North China—accordion player for New Year's eve party—line shaft hangers and countershafts — comedy material writer—these were subjects of want ads in yesterday's Tribune want ad section.
Read the want ads in today's Tribune for new opportunities to make and to save money.

RAIL OFFICIAL INDORSES NEW AIRPORT PLANS

C. & W. I. Chief Engineer Finds No Obstacles.

BY WAYNE THOMIS.

F. E. Morrow, vice president and chief engineer of the Chicago and Western Indiana railroad, yesterday assured city authorities that the railroad sees no insurmountable obstacles to Mayor Kelly's new plan for enlarging the Chicago airport. This would entail moving the railroad's tracks from the line of 59th street where they bisect the airport tract to a strip just south of 55th street.

The mayor suggested the new arrangement after breaking off negotiations with Raymond E. Herman, La Salle street real estate broker, from whom city agents sought to acquire a strip of land north of 55th street for the railroad's new right of way. By moving the tracks to land purchased from Herman they would be entirely off the flying field, but the price demanded was outrageously high, the mayor declared.

Tracks on Airport Land.

The new plan would place the tracks on a strip of land about 125 feet wide just south of the northern boundary of the expanded airport. The tracks, placed on the ground level, would not offer any serious obstruction to airplanes landing at or taking off from the air terminal runways. Under the arrangement the airport would be one mile —5,280 feet—in length, and 5,000 feet in width.

"I can't see any reason why the railroad should object to Mayor Kelly's new proposals," said Morrow. "The railroad has always taken the position that it would follow the city's wishes in this matter so long as a fair exchange of property is involved.

Reserves Right to Study Plan.

"So far as a cursory examination of the situation can show there is no insurmountable reason for our not agreeing to this change. The compact which we have made for the original transfer was the result of a careful consideration of values involved and we'd undoubtedly want to go over this again. It should not take much time, however."

Besides this assurance by the railroad official, the school board authorities have also agreed to the mayor's alternative plan, and city engineers are preparing preliminary drawings.

JOIN AIRPORT SMOKE FIGHT

Frank A. Chambers, head of the city department of smoke inspection and abatement, has received a letter from Isaac Goldstine, secretary of the Clearing Business Men's association, offering that group's support in the fight against smoke from factories in the Clearing industrial district.

The district is just outside the city limits, south and southwest of the Chicago airport, whose superintendent, John A. Casey, has complained that the factories lay down a smoke screen menacing air trafic.

Mr. Goldstine, a lawyer with offices at 5603 West 63d street, said the seventy Chicago merchants who are members of the business men's association have been objecting to the smoke nuisance for several years.

Offers to Produce Witneses.

"When the wind is from the south or southwest," he said, "our district is flooded with smoke and offensive odors. These seem to come mostly from the Trumbull Asphalt company, 5440 67th street, and the Continental Can company's tin plate division, 5531 65th street.

"We passed a resolution about two months ago condemning the nuisance, and we are willing to aid Mr. Chambers' department by producing any number of witnesses who object, or by supplying him with names of families that have moved from the neighborhood because of the smoke."

Chambers expressed thanks for the association's offer and said he expected to make use of its information.

Hearing Set for Monday.

"A hearing for four of the companies from the Clearing district is set for Monday in my office," he said. "An official of the Trumbull company already has phoned me to say he is anxious to prevent any nuisance from his plant. I am told that the company recently spent thousands of dollahs for a precipitator intended to prevent asphalt fumes from escaping.

The four concerns asked to attend the hearing are the Silica Brick and Tile company, 5901 66th street; Whitaker Manufacturing company, 5723 65th street; Amalgamated Roofing company, 6600 South Central avenue, and the Trumbull company. Adam Sassur, plant foreman of the Silica company, told a smoke inspector this week that his plant probably would be shut down until spring, and that he would be glad to install smoke-burning steam jets.

HIS 2 DAY WORK WEEK IS ENOUGH TO WIN FORTUNE

Baltimore, Md., Dec. 24.—[Special.]—Circuit Court Judge Edwin T. Dickerson in a ruling today assured Thomas H. Riley, Baltimore newspaper man, of an income approximating $200 a month.

Judge Dickerson ruled that Riley, who works two days a week, is employed in regular active business and therefore eligible to receive the income from an $81,000 estate he inherited from his aunt. The will specified Riley should receive the money only while regularly employed and the bank acting as trustee for the estate took into court the question of whether Riley's two day a week job fulfilled provisions of the will.

HELD IN LABOR ROW.

Bloomington, Ill., Dec. 24.—[Special.]—Found guilty on charges involving trespass and threatening of workers at the strike-bound factory of the Paul F. Beich Candy company here, Russell Taylor of Bloomington has been held to the grand jury under $1,000 bonds.

DRAM SHOP ACT UPHELD BY STATE SUPREME COURT

Rules Tavern Must Pay in Damage Suit.

Illinois' dram shop act, revived in 1934 by the general assembly, has been upheld by the state Supreme court. The act imposes a special liability on tavern keepers and their landlords. Copies of the opinion, rendered on Wednesday, reached Chicago yesterday.

The opinion was given in upholding a verdict won last January in the Superior court by Mrs. Anne O'Connor, 2344 Congress street. She was awarded $35,000 damages by a jury, but later, by agreement, the sum was reduced to $20,000.

Mrs. O'Connor asked $50,000 damages for the death of her son, Joseph. He was shot and killed June 20, 1934, in a quarrel over a woman in a tavern at 3447 Madison street. Richard Rogers, 17 North Kostner avenue, nephew of former Ald. John Rogers, was tried for the killing but acquitted on a plea of self-defense.

First Suit Under Revived Act.

Mrs. O'Connor's suit was the first tried under the revived act and the first tried since repeal of the prohibition amendment. Suits seeking $1,000,000 in damages under the act have been pending in the Circuit and Superior courts, awaiting the decision of the Supreme court in the O'Connor case.

The verdict in the O'Connor suit was directed against the tavern owners, James A. Murphy and Frank McGovern, and against Frank C. Rathje, as successor trustee for the Foreman-Becker trust, owners of the property.

The dram shop act holds tavern keepers and owners of saloon property liable for damages incurred in a saloon, or arising from the sale of liquor to intoxicated persons and minors. Mrs. O'Connor contended her son and Rogers were intoxicated.

Permits Relative to Sue.

The act permits a mother, wife, or child, to sue if he suffered personally or financially in consequence of the intoxication of any person. It also holds the property owners liable if they knew the building was being used as a saloon.

Attorney Don M. Peebles, representing Rathje, appealed. He argued that the act, which was a recodification of the original 1874 statute, was unconstitutional in that it set no limit on the amount of damages which could be asked. It also conflicted, he said, with the injuries act, which imposes a maximum allowance of $10,000 for injuries resulting in death, and violated the due process clause of the federal constitution.

The Supreme court, however, held with Mrs. O'Connor's attorney, Jacob Stagman, that the revived act is constitutional. The ruling stated that the Illinois and United States Supreme courts repeatedly have upheld the original act, and that there are no changes or additions in the revived act which make its constitutionality assailable.

MRS. BORIN MUST STRUGGLE ALONG ON $60 PER WEEK

When Mrs. Claire Borin was the ever loving wife of Nathan Borin, and nothing arose to disturb their domestic happiness, she may have had $75 a week in pin money, as she stated. But until the courts decide on her suit for divorce Mrs. Borin, who once aspired to a movie panther woman rôle, must struggle along on $60 every seven days.

This was the decision announced yesterday by Master in Chancery Henry Burman, who had been asked to decide the question of temporary alimony when Mrs. Borin, who is 26 years old, filed her bill charging cruelty. Master Burman will present his findings to Judge John J. Lupe next week.

Master Burman also found that Borin spent $700 or $800 a year on his wife's clothes, and not the $5,000 she stated; that he hasn't yet paid for the new furniture in her apartment; that he bought her a $500 white fox fur with borrowed money; and that he didn't spend $25,000 a year to maintain their home.

DEMANDS WIFE EXPLAIN MOVE TO DROP SUIT

Mrs. Ferdina J. Giannini, 5551 Adams street, a foreign language teacher, wanted to dismiss her bill for divorce yesterday, but her husband, Dr. Michael Giannini, 25 years old, a physician, would have none of it.

If Mrs. Giannini wants to drop suit, her husband's attorney, Norman Becker, told Judge Philip J. Finnegan, she should file an affidavit explaining why and also retract the twenty-one charges of cruelty she made.

Attorney Becker explained that the allegations reflected on the character and professional reputation of the doctor. Judge Finnegan ordered Mrs. Giannini to present her affidavit on Monday.

36 EARTHQUAKES DAMAGE MOST OF TOWN'S BUILDINGS

MEXICO CITY, Dec. 24.—(AP)—Belated reports from Ometepec, in Guerrero state, said today that thirty-six earth shocks had damaged virtually all of the town's 1,000 buildings, but residents escaped serious injury.

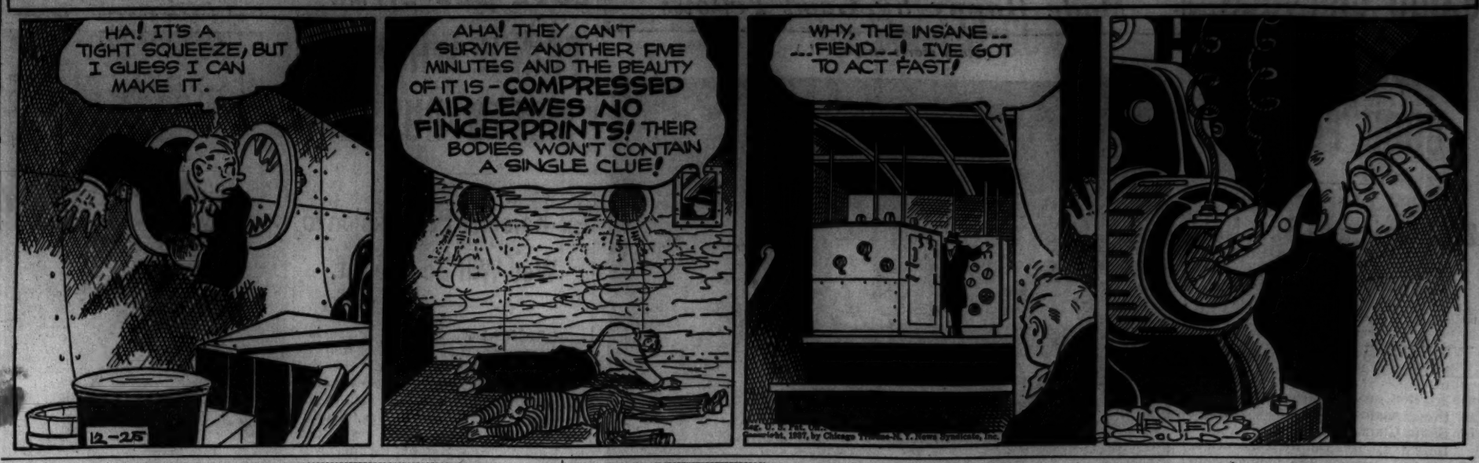
The quakes came at the same time as those which rocked the capital yesterday, causing four deaths and widespread damage. Many southern states also reported earthquake damage.

The 4,000 residents of Ometepec, Pacific coast town, were warned by light shocks and had time to reach safety in the streets.

Judge Holly to Occupy New Federal Courtroom Monday

Beginning Monday Federal Judge William H. Holly will occupy a new courtroom recently completed on the second floor of the United States courthouse as part of a $1,000,000 rehabilitation program for the building. Previously his court was on the fifth floor.

DICK TRACY—To the Rescue


HA! IT'S A TIGHT SQUEEZE, BUT I GUESS I CAN MAKE IT.
AHA! THEY CAN'T SURVIVE ANOTHER FIVE MINUTES AND THE BEAUTY OF IT IS - COMPRESSED AIR LEAVES NO FINGERPRINTS! THEIR BODIES WON'T CONTAIN A SINGLE CLUE!
WHY, THE INSANE... ...FIEND...! I'VE GOT TO ACT FAST!
CHESTER GOULD

SATURDAY NEWS OF NEW BOOKS

Author Ludwig Puts Cleopatra Into Biography

BY FANNY BUTCHER.

"Cleopatra," by Emil Ludwig. [Viking, $3.50.] Published two weeks ago.

Emil Ludwig, who injected into modern biography an oriental lushness of physical and psychological detail, has had little trafic with actually fictionized history. But in this, his first biography of a woman, he has walked tentatively into the flowery fields of known fact bedizened by imagination.

He states in his preface that, since no record of Cleopatra's actual words exists, except for three sentences, "this is distinguished by an all but total absence of quotations." All his previous biographies have been distinguished by their tessellated speeches, intricately pieced together by the author from documentary sources to form a cunning pattern of his hero's thought.

Words in quotation marks do not issue from the lips of Cleopatra in this biography, but Mr. Ludwig has used the far more fictitious method of presenting her thoughts. In one place he describes her passion for adornment, ending with, "on other days she would have nothing but cool, gleaming silver; this was when she thought of Caesar," and on the next page, anent her twin son, "this sort of boy I should have been, she thought; but she never wished that she had been born of the opposite sex."

All of which is disarmingly explained by Mr. Ludwig thus: "The absence of psychological documents leaves me free to dwell more insistently on states of mind and soliloquies than would have been possible had my sources been more abundant." He also says: "Though here the limit of the historical novel is reached, it has nowhere been overstepped."

It was while Mr. Ludwig was gathering material for that lush and luscious biography, "The Nile" [the life story of a river with all the perversities of human kind, and with its life span of tentative youth, turbulent middle years, and serene old age], that he became fascinated with the idea of writing a life of Cleopatra. It will be a best seller because Mr. Ludwig wrote it. It celebrates her as ardent lover, dynastic-minded mother, "the shrewdest and most intelligent woman of her time."

A Scholarly and Rich Biography of Jackson

"Andrew Jackson, Portrait of a President," by Marquis James. Bobbs-Merrill, $5.]

Here is what may well prove to be the year's outstanding biography. It continues Marquis James' "Andrew Jackson, the Border Captain," through his eight years as President and brings to a close one of the most pertinent lives of America's roster of men who honestly tried to serve their fellow men and their country.

Andrew Jackson's life ran a dramatic gamut "from border conservative to national liberal" [in Mr. James' words], from "backwoodsman" to "the nation's hero." The days which Mr. James records were spent against the equally dramatic background of a country unstable economically and financialy. The author neglects no minute phase of Jackson's own life or of his background. The people about him, the pattern of their daily lives, even their thoughts [as reflected in documentary evidence] are made as vivid as though it were today's comment on today's happenings. Mr. James confesses to having consulted "about 40,000 documents." He has chosen from such a mountain of evidence the material with which to build this monument to a great American.

Jackson, more than most figures from American history, has been known to the public through prejudiced eyes. The famous three volume Parton life, though not the first biography of Andrew Jackson, achieved such immense popularity that it became practically standard for popular consumption.

Mr. James, without minimizing the literary pleasures of that ancient volume, shows Jackson the political figure as an entirely different hero than does Parton . . . a man who "brought to the presidency fewer personal ambitions than any man since Washington" . . . "no mere arbitrator between factions of followers, he strode forth to inspire, to lead, to govern" . . . and he goes on to declare that he made so characteristic and so deep an impression upon his times "that posterity would accord Andrew Jackson an honor not as yet vouchsafed another American—that of marking out an epoch in our national history and calling it by the name of one man."

"Andrew Jackson, Portrait of a President," is a rich, full, fine, carefully documented but never dull life of that epochal person.

BEST SELLERS

FICTION.

The Citadel, by A. J. Cronin.
Northwest Passage, by Kenneth Roberts.
The Turning Wheels, by Stuart Cloete.
Imperial City, by Elmer Rice.
The Rains Came, by Louis Bromfield.
The City of Bells, by Elisabeth Goudge.

NONFICTION.

Madame Curie, by Eve Curie.
The Arts, by Hendrik Willem Van Loon.
Woollcott's Second Reader, compiled by Alexander Woollcott.
400 Million Customers, by Carl Crow.
How to Win Friends and Influence People, by Dale Carnegie.
The Importance of Living, by Lin Yutang.

Beauty of Early Architecture in U. S. Is Traced

"Architectural Heritage of the Piscataqua—Early Houses and Gardens of the Portsmouth District in Maine and New Hampshire," by John Mead Howells. [Architectural Book Publishing company, $10.]

John Mead Howells, joint architect with Raymond Hood of the Tribune Tower, has worked for the last three years gathering material for this handsome volume recording an earlier American beauty in architecture. Fine old colonial mansions and the simplest of cottages live in its pages to prove the simple graciousness of line in early American architecture.

Not all the ornamentation of those old houses was utterly simple for Mr. Howells offers examples of wood carving and wrought iron that are elaborate. But more than once he comments upon a "similarity to certain modernistic work."

In his brief "Memoranda on an Early Portsmouth Builder and of Possible Architects and Sources of Design" Mr. Howells quotes ancient documents.

"What interests us," he writes, "is that these notes show that at least an average house of the time was built and probably laid out or designed by a clever mulatto carpenter and apparently without drawings and much less an architect." The author goes on to say that the carpenter probably copied one house from another, varying each house to please the owner, for then "it was fashionable for gentlemen to understand architecture."

It is again fashionable for gentlemen [and ladies] to understand architecture, although few today are as thorough about it as was Thomas Jefferson, and they will all be delighted with this book despite the fact it was primarily done for the architect. It contains working drawings of some of the more intricate details. The nontechnical reader will find in its pages an interesting pictorial record of a past. And it also contains an astonishingly long and interesting list of books on architecture and the allied crafts used in America prior to 1830. F. B.

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Story of Bookmaking and Art of Printing Is Fascinatingly Told

"The Book, the Story of Printing and Bookmaking," by Douglas C. McMurtrie. [Covici-Friede, $5.]

In no respect are we more the heirs of the past than in the art of bookmaking. And now that the world has been celebrating the 500th anniversary of Gutenberg's discovery of printing, a Chicagoan learned in the history of the art tells its fascinating story in a book which is itself a noble example of design and printing.

Ancient times contributed the alphabet and the craft of paper making, and the skill of scribe and illuminator. The fifteenth century brought together the diverse elements out of which the miracle of type and printing were invented. It also gave the world some of its finest books. Later centuries produced great type designers, clever illustrators, the modern makers of limited editions, and all the workers, famous and nameless, to whom we owe that repository of tradition—a book.

Mr. McMurtrie tells this great story completely, thoroughly, and with skill and enthusiasm which never flag. A valuable bibliography and 125 illustrations add immeasurably to his work. R. P. Mac F.

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Explains Who First Said: 'I Would Rather Be Right'

Who first said, "I would rather be right than President," has been brought up many times in connection with the new Kaufman-Hart satire, "I'd Rather Be Right." [Random, $2]. Not Patrick Henry; not Franklin D. Roosevelt, but Henry Clay, whose story is told by Bernard Mayo [Houghton Mifflin, $4.50].

Lincoln Period Ably Analyzed in Two Studies

BY PERCY WOOD.

"Lincoln's Rise to Power," by William E. Baringer. [Little, Brown, $4].

"Great Leveler: The Life of Thaddeus Stevens," by Thomas Frederick Woodley. [Stackpole, $3.50.]

Students of American politics prior to and during the Lincoln era will welcome these exhaustive studies for, taken together, they present a continuous picture of the political aspects of Lincoln's nomination and election plus a closeup of his congressional problems—at least those which were influenced by the indomitable clubfoot, Thaddeus Stevens, who had a hand in almost all important legislation.

William Baringer, a young Lincoln student now living in Urbana, concerns himself with only two years of Lincoln's life, the period between 1858 when Douglas defeated him for the senate, and 1860, when he became the Republican presidential nominee. What happened in that brief space of time to turn the beaten man into the choice of the nation interested the author and he has done a workmanlike job of research and writing.

The story of this rise is amazing partly because it illustrates how little changed are modern methods of campaigning in Illinois.

Lincoln did not have the radio, but he stumped the state from end to end, perhaps inaugurating the exhaustive tours which today are called "from Galena to Cairo." He had become a familiar figure to the people of Illinois during the celebrated Lincoln-Douglas debates, and his name also became widely known beyond the state's borders.

One of Lincoln's most enthusiastic supporters for the nomination was Joseph Medill, the energetic editor of the Press and Tribune, as THE TRIBUNE was then known. Mr. Baringer tells how Mr. Medill did everything he could to advance the Lincoln cause.

Lincoln's election campaign is briefly treated in the Baringer book, but the tremendous problems he encountered at Washington are well shown in Thomas Woodley's biography of Thaddeus Stevens, house leader in the Lincoln congresses.

This odd and irascible zealot, whose terrific crusade against the Masonic order in Pennsylvania seemed to whet him for his congressional struggles against slavery, was born under a cloud in Vermont, there being malicious tales that he was actually the illegitimate son of the French statesman, Count Talleyrand de Perigord. Mr. Woodley ran this story down and declares it baseless, but it, coupled with his deformity, may have accounted, in part, for Stevens' cold purposefulness. Perhaps the most engrossing section of this well documented book deals with Stevens' leadership in the fight to impeach Lincoln's successor, Andrew Johnson.

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Lively Murder Drama Is Pictured Through The Detectives' Eyes

"Homicide," by Leslie White. [Harcourt Brace, $2.]

The action in this lively murder drama is viewed through the eyes of the sleuths who eventually solve it and the continuity is kept running at a smooth pace by the interjection of official reports and stenographic records. Some of these stodgy looking documents jolt the reader profoundly—the reader, this is, who scans them alertly, as though he is one of the sleuths. C. L.

BOOKS

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Important Books Published Recently

FICTION.

This Is Petra, by Alice Blackburn Dungan [Lippincott, $2], is a delicately haunting story of a little orphan and her shadow.

To See Ourselves, by Rachel Field and Arthur Pederson [Macmillan, $2.50], follows the fortunes of a young married couple aspiring to careers in Hollywood.

Death Sails with Magellan, by Charles Ford [Random House, $2.50], recounts the adventures of a young Spaniard who sailed with Magellan.

The Silver String, by Cora Jarrett [Farrar & Rinehart, $2.50], delves into the development of character through personal relationships.

For Us in the Dark, by Naomi Royde Smith [Macmillan, $2.75], concerns the intrigue and tragedy surrounding a large inheritance.

Starforth, by Lucille Papin Borden [Macmillan, $2.50], continues the English historical romance begun in "White Hawthorn."

NONFICTION.

Belief and Action, by Herbert Samuel [Bobbs Merrill, $2.50], presents the theories of a well known English philosopher.

World History of the Dance, by Curt Sachs [Norton, $5], is a comprehensive history of the art.

Divided We Stand, by Walter Prescott Webb [Farrar & Rinehart, $2.50], analyzes the way in which the northeastern states dominate the south and west.

Medical Magic, by David Dietz [Dodd-Mead, $3.50], tells the fascinating story of the progress of medical science today.

Atlantic Game Fishing, by S. Kip Farrington Jr. [Kennedy Bros., $7.50], relates the experiences of a big game fisherman from Nova Scotia to Bimini.

ABOUT PEOPLE.

A Memoir of AE, by John Eglinton [Macmillan, $2.50] is the authorized life of George William Russell revealed in his letters.

Letters of Madame de Sevigne [Dutton, $5, 2 vols. boxed] are selected by Richard Aldington from those written to her daughter and her friends.

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Who always showed off in a crowd,
'Til once at a party,
His girl called him "Smarty,"

(Write Your Last Line Here)

Name .....
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(Send to: "Da-De-Da No. 27," Chicago Tribune, P. O. Box 1539, Chicago, Illinois.)

HERE IS NO. 21

Said the judge: "You'll get ten days in jail,
Unless you can cough up some kale;"
But Michael was busted,
And sore and disgusted,
. . . AND THE WINNING LINE!
Like this line, that's the end of the tale.

Submitted by—Lewis Rogers, 2558 E. 79th Street, Chicago, Illinois

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HOW? You may write your last line on the coupon or on any scrap of paper. Even a post card will do. Cleverness of thought and originality of conception will be the ONLY things that count. Neither handwriting nor elaborate decoration will make any difference.

WHERE? Mail your entries to "Da-De-Das," P. O. Box 1539, CHICAGO TRIBUNE, Chicago, Illinois. Entries will be judged by a committee appointed by the TRIBUNE. The decisions of the judges will be final. In case of ties, duplicate prizes will be awarded.

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ANOTHER "DA-DE-DA" IN MONDAY'S DAILY TRIBUNE

TOKIO'S VERSION ON PANAY DENIED BY NAVY REPORT

Story of Commander Is Upheld by Board.

BY WILLARD EDWARDS.
[Chicago Tribune Press Service.]

Washington, D. C., Dec. 24.—[Special.]—A few hours after Secretary of State Cordell Hull received the latest Japanese note apologizing for the sinking of the gunboat Panay he made public tonight an official finding by an American naval court of inquiry indicating that the bombing was clearly intentional and terming it "an unprecedented and unlooked for attack of great violence."

Much of the court's report was based upon a colorful and vivid narrative of the attack upon the Panay by its commanding officer, Lieutenant Commander J. J. Hughes, which also was made public today. Although severely wounded by the first bomb dropped upon the gunboat by Japanese planes, Commander Hughes kept his wits about him and was able to furnish a chronological account of happenings.

Makes Scene Live Again.

What he saw through pain-wracked eyes was recorded in a fashion which made that scene of terror on the Yangtze river live again despite the terse limitations of official phraseology.

The commander's detailed and chronological report was at the same time a moving story of an attack by a group of Japanese navy planes on the American vessel, of the impact of bombs which shattered the gunboat and strewed wounded upon its decks, of a determined but futile machine gun battle against the attackers, of abandoning the sinking ship under fire, and of hiding in the rushes of the river bank from the planes and launches which attempted to search them out. Over and over it told of deeds of heroism, not as such but in the official recital of duty performed by wounded men and officers.

Contradicts Tokio's Version.

The court's finding were in direct opposition to the Tokio version of the incident. Whereas the Japanese note referred to the attack on three occasions as a mistake and again as entirely unintentional, the naval court's findings included the following facts implying that a mistake was impossible under the circumstances:

1. That adequate steps were taken at all times to assure that the Japanese authorities were informed of the movements of the U. S. S. Panay.

2. That the Panay was painted white with buff upper works and stacks and displayed two large horizontal flags [18 by 14 feet] on her upper deck awnings plus large colors at her gaff.

3. That the Socony Vacuum Oil company ships Meiping, Meishia and Meian accompanying the Panay each displayed numerous horizontal and vertical American flags, all of large size.

Attacked by Several Planes.

4. That at about 1:38 p. m., Dec. 12, three large Japanese twin motored planes in a V formation were observed at a considerable height passing overhead down river. At this time no other craft were in the near vicinity of the Panay and convoy and there was no reason to believe the ships were in a dangerous area.

5. That without warning these three Japanese planes released several bombs, one or two of which struck on or very close to the bow of the Panay and another which struck on or very close to the Meiping.

6. That immediately thereafter a group of six single engined planes attacked from ahead, diving singly and appearing to concentrate on the Panay.

7. That during the entire attack the weather was clear with high visibility and little if any wind.

8. That the planes participating in the attacks upon the Panay and its convoy were unmistakingly identified by their markings as being Japanese.

9. That after the Panay had been abandoned a Japanese power boat filled with armed Japanese soldiers approached close to the Panay, opened fire with a machine gun, went alongside, boarded, and left within five minutes.

Hughes Describes Attack.

Lieutenant Commander Hughes' official report of the bombing of the Panay to Secretary of the Navy Claude A. Swanson was made public a few hours before announcement of the findings of the court of inquiry. The court based its findings largely on the statements of Hughes, who detailed the movements of the vessel up the river followed by the three oil vessels and other craft. He reported sighting the Japanese planes and continued:

"About 1:29 p. m. I looked out the door of the bridge to pick up again the two planes I had originally seen and was astonished to discover that both were rapidly losing altitude in a direction toward us. Almost immediately a bomb seemed to strike directly over our heads, ripping a big hole in the roof of the bridge.

"I lost consciousness for what must have been only a minute or two. When I came to I discovered myself on the deck of the bridge badly stunned with my head covered with blood and my right leg painfully injured at the hip, making it impossible for me to rise to my feet. A hole also had been broken in the deck of the bridge near where Chief Quartermaster John Lang and I had been standing.

Continuously Drop Bombs.

"From then on the planes bombed us continuously until about 2:25 p. m. The first group that came over dive bombed from a considerable altitude, which kept them beyond range of our Lewis machine guns. Later when the Panay was visibly smashed up they came much closer and not only let go their bombs from low altitude, perhaps one or two hundred feet, but also machine gunned our decks as they came down diving. I distinctly heard their guns, which had a different sound from the Panay's.

"I heard the Panay's machine guns firing and realized that the crew was carrying on, probably under the immediate direction of Lieut. Anders, my executive officer.

"According to my reckoning, the Panay must have received about 24 direct hits.

"By 2 p. m. it seemed unlikely to me that I should be able to save the ship. About 2:02 p. m. Ensign Biwerse said he thought we should abandon ship, especially as he thought the job would take some time with only two small boats. Accordingly, I gave the order to abandon ship, and to start by sending the worst wounded ashore first. Boats contained only wounded except for the boats' crews, Chief Boatswain Mate Mahlmann, and several of the crew that had not been injured."

Commander Hughes, because of his wounds, was among the first taken to shore, despite his protests.

All Injured Taken Ashore.

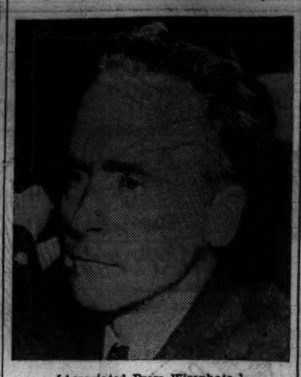
"It took many return trips to take all the personnel off the ship," he said in his report. "Starting at 2:05 p. m. we completed the operations at a little after 3 p. m. Some time before the ship sank I heard the rattle of machine guns and was informed that an armed Japanese boat was firing on the Panay. I was subsequently informed that this boat had put several men on board who remained only a few minutes and then left. I was shortly informed that the ship sank with her colors still flying at 3:54 p. m., turning over to starboard."

As to the attack on the oil vessels, the commander said:

"After getting all the men off the ship and on the beach we found two Japanese planes flying fairly low overhead, apparently looking for the Panay survivors. The reeds, however, apparently afforded us sufficient cover to remain unseen. These planes subsequently departed but shortly later bombing attacks were made on the two merchant vessels which were by now beached on the bank opposite us. The third merchant vessel had already been sunk by bombs."

Tells Panay Sinking

(Story in adjoining column.)



[Associated Press Wirephoto.]

Lieutenant Commander J. J. Hughes, whose report on bombing of American gunboat by Japanese planes was released last night by state department.

U. S. TO GUARD PLANE CARRYING PANAY PICTURES

San Francisco, Cal., Dec. 24.—(AP)—Pan-American Airways officials said today an armored truck would meet the China Clipper at Alameda Monday to guard newsreel and news photographs of the bombing and sinking of the American gunboat Panay.

Vital interest has been displayed by the navy and state departments in the newsreel taken by Norman Alley, who is a passenger aboard the Clipper, Pan-American officials said. The armored truck will transport the film to the Oakland airport, where an airliner has been chartered to carry the film to New York.

Pan-American said the chartered plane also would carry Alley and six government secret service operatives.

Winter Isn't Allowed to Turn Snow Into Frost

Portland, Ore., Dec. 24.—(AP)—Leland T. Frost of Ephriam, Utah, obtained a license today to wed Ruth Snow of Payson, Utah. They would not let Judge John P. Winter perform the ceremony.

TOKIO ORDERS ITS FORCES TO HALT ATTACKS ON U. S.

New Note Insists Panay Incident Was Mistake.

[Chicago Tribune Press Service.]

TOKIO, Dec. 24.—The Japanese government, in a new note to the United States in connection with the sinking of the American gunboat Panay, today acknowledged responsibility for the aerial attack on the vessel and said orders had been issued to its fighting forces in China in an effort to prevent a recurrence of the incident.

The Japanese note, signed by Foreign Minister Koki Hirota, which was addressed to United States Ambassador Joseph C. Grew, placed the blame for the bombing of the Panay upon the Japanese navy, but insisted that the attack was a "mistake" and not deliberate, as has been charged.

The note ignored charges that Japanese army launches had machine-gunned the Panay as it was sinking, and that survivors of the vessel were machine-gunned by airplanes as they attempted to reach shore in small boats.

Text of Note.

The text of the note follows:

"Regarding the unfortunate incident occurring on the Yangtze river about twenty-six miles above Nanking Dec. 12, in which Japanese naval aircraft attacked by mistake the U. S. S. Panay and three merchant ships belonging to the Standard Oil Company of America, causing them to sink or burn with the result there were casualties among those aboard, I had the honor previously to send your excellency my note of date Dec. 14.

"Almost simultaneously, however, I received your excellency's note, which was sent by direction of the government of the United States and which, after describing circumstances prior to occurrence of the incident, concludes that acts of Japanese forces in the attack were carried out in complete disregard for United States rights, taking American life and destroying American property both public and private; and which states:

"'In these circumstances the government of the United States requests and expects of the Japanese government a formally recorded expression of regret, an undertaking to make complete and comprehensive indemnifications, and assurance that definite and specific steps have been taken which will insure that hereafter American nationals, interests, and property in China will not be subjected to attack by Japanese armed forces or unlawful interference by any Japanese authorities or forces whatsoever.'

Insists It Was a Mistake.

"As regards circumstances surrounding the present unfortunate incident, I desire to state that while it is concluded in your excellency's note that the incident resulted from disregard for American rights by Japanese armed forces, it was entirely due to a mistake, as has been described in my above-mentioned note.

"As a result of thorough investigations which have been continued since then in all possible ways to discover the real causes, it has now been fully established that the attack was entirely unintentional.

"I trust this has been made quite clear to your excellency through detailed explanations made to your excellency Dec. 23 by our naval and military authorities.

"With reference to the first two items and requests mentioned in your excellency's note, namely, recorded expressions of regret and indemnifications, no word needs to be added to what I have said in my aforementioned note.

Says It Won't Happen Again.

"As regards guarantees for the future, I wish to inform your excellency the Japanese navy issued without delay strict orders 'to exercise the greatest caution in every area where warships or other vessels of America or any third power were present, in order to avoid recurrency of a similar mistake, even at sacrifice of strategic advantage in attacking Chinese troops.'

"Furthermore, rigid orders have been issued military, naval, and foreign office authorities to pay, in the light of the present untoward incident, greater attention than hitherto to observance of instructions that have been repeatedly given against infringement or unwaranted interference with the rights and interests of the United States and other third powers.

"The Japanese government is studying carefully every possible means of achieving more effectively the above aims, while it already has taken steps to ascertain, in still closer contact with American authorities in China, the whereabouts of American interests and nationals, and to improve means of communicating intelligence thereof speedily and effectively to authorities on the spot.

"Although the attack on the man of war and other vessels of the United States was due to a mistake, as has been stated above, the commander of the flying force concerned was immediately removed from his post and recalled on grounds of failure to take the fullest measures of precaution.

"Moreover, fleet staf members, the commander of the flying squadron and all others responsible have been duly dealt with according to law. The Japanese government is thus endeavoring to preclude absolutely all possibility of recurrence of incidents of similar character.

"It needs hardly be emphasized that of all the above mentioned measures taken by the Japanese government, the recall of the commander of the flying force has a significance of special importance.

Hopes U. S. Will Understand.

"It is my fervent hope that the fact will be fully appreciated by the government of the United States that this drastic step has been taken solely because of a sincere desire by the Japanese government to safeguard the rights and interests of the United States and other third powers.

"I avail myself of this opportunity to renew to your excellency assurances of my highest consideration."

BRADY GUNMAN TO APPEAL FROM DEATH SENTENCE

Notice of an appeal from the death sentence imposed upon James Dalhover, last member of the Al Brady outlaw gang, was filed yesterday with the United States Circuit Court of Appeals here. He was sentenced to be electrocuted April 8 in accordance with a jury's verdict at Hammond, Ind., on his plea of guilty to the murder of Paul Minneman, Indiana state policeman, last May 25.

Dalhover's attorney will base their appeal on allegations that Federal Judge Thomas W. Slick at Hammond, Ind., improperly admitted evidence of other crimes and permitted government prosecutors to display firearms before the jury. These included world war machine guns stolen from towns where they were exhibited as memorials.

SON, 32, SHOOTS FATHER, RETIRED EMPLOYE OF CITY

James Burns, 65 years old, 709 West 47th street, a retired city employé, was shot and critically wounded in his home early this morning by his son, Thomas, 32 years old. While Thomas' sister, Frances, was telephoning the police young Burns surrendered at the Stockyards station and said he shot his father after a quarrel.

Police said Thomas Burns had been drinking. The father, who was formerly a watchman in the city water pipe extension department, where Thomas is now employed, was taken to the Mercy hospital. James Burns is a brother of Policeman Frank Burns of the Wabash avenue station.

40,000 REBEL TROOPS MASS FOR COUNTER ATTACK ON TERUEL

HENDAYE, Franco-Spanish Frontier, Dec. 24.—(AP)—The Spanish government declared tonight its forces had destroyed the last insurgent defenders of the city of Teruel and hailed the victory as the first in a "final drive" to crush insurrection throughout Spain.

The insurgents, however, flatly denying the few hundred of their comrades remaining in Teruel had been annihilated, massed reinforcements to recapture the strategic city.

A rebel army of 40,000 men commanded by Gen. Miguel Aranda was concentrated northwest of Teruel ready to participate in an encircling movement already started against government troops holding the city, the insurgent high command announced.

Fierce fighting raged today along Villastar ridge, three miles south of Teruel, where the insurgents were carrying out their circling movement in collaboration with reinforcements advancing on the city from the north and west.

Government dispatches told of the capture of the last insurgent strongholds within Teruel—held by about 400 men—after they were blasted with hand grenades. Final assaults were made on a seminary, a cathedral, the Bank of Spain building, the civil governor's palace and a barracks.

Government sources declared 1,600 prisoners were taken by government troops at Masoto, in the suburbs of Teruel, and in other scattered engagements.

More than 6,000 insurgents who fell in the vicinity of the city were buried by government men, it was stated. Two insurgent companies—one a machine gun unit and the other infantry—presented themselves at the government lines in a mass surrender, it was said.

JAPS PUSH INTO SHANTUNG; BEGIN WAR IN NEW AREA

Two Columns of Troops Cross Yellow River.

[Chicago Tribune Press Service.]

SHANGHAI, Dec. 25.—[Saturday.]—Two columns of Japanese troops crossed the Yellow river for a new drive into Shantung province, while in Shanghai the Japanese command announced the fall of Hangchow, capital of Chekiang province, and one of China's most prosperous cities. Hangchow is 110 miles southwest of Shanghai. For China Christmas brought no peace on earth, as the Japanese legions added rapidly to the thousands of square miles already conquered, carrying out their own concept of assuring the peace of the far east.

For Hangchow, however, there apparently was release from the terrors of siege. The Japanese announced that their troops entered the city, for centuries famed as a beauty spot and religious center, at 8 a. m. Friday, pouring in through all its gates.

No News of Fighting.

There was no news of fighting. This was taken to mean that the Chinese defenders had abandoned resistance and their capitulation spared Hangchow a final air bombing, shelling and street fighting.

Japanese officers announced that their Shantung forces had gained a footing on the south bank of the Yellow river, presumably near Tsinanfu, the provincial capital, after hard fighting. A foreign dispatch from Tsingtao said another column had crossed the river at Chinghochen, 60 miles northeast of Tsinanfu, and was advancing toward Chowtsun, an important town on the Tsinanfu-Tsingtao railway, which Japanese planes had bombed.

An American exodus from Shantung began when 17 Americans and a few dozen other foreigners sailed from Tsingtao for Shanghai. Nearly 300 more Americans were at Tsingtao, ready to board three United States warships in the harbor if need arose.

Japs Out For Revenge.

It was believed conquest of all Shantung, the only northern province thus far spared, was the objective. The Japanese command at Tientsin announced a decision to "take strong punitive action" against Chinese who last week-end destroyed some $100,000,000 worth of Japanese property at Tsingtao, Shantung's chief port. Hitherto that property, mostly cotton mills, had constituted hostage against Japanese invasion.

The Japanese were said to be anxious to extend their control to the whole Chinese coast from Hangchow north. Japanese troops were said to have been withdrawn from Shansi for a drive down the Tientsin-Pukow railway toward Tsingtao. The Japanese admitted they had hoped to win control without fighting by a deal with the governor, Gen. Han Fu-chu.

Christmas brought renewed panic for Canton, metropolis of South China, owing to unverified reports that Japanese troops had made a landing at Bias bay, north of Hongkong, under protection of a naval barrage. British officials at Hongkong, said this was not confirmed.

U. S. Embassy to Reopen.

Consuls John Allison and James Espy will sail Tuesday aboard the United States gunboat Oahu to reopen the American embassy in Nanking. They will look after the interests of the United States government and accord protection to Americans and American owned property there.

United States Ambassador Nelson T. Johnson is in Hankow, where he continues to be accredited to the Central Chinese government. It was pointed out that the reopening of the embassy in Nanking, and establishment of diplomatic and consular contacts with Japanese authorities occupying Dictator Chiang Kai-shek's former capital, meant no change in the relationship between the United States and Chinese governments. The American representatives in Nanking, it was stated, merely will establish a branch office under Ambassador Johnson's supervision.

J. Hall Paxton, second secretary of the American embassy at Nanking and a survivor of the sinking of the gunboat Panay, sailed on the destroyer Peary for Manila. From there he planned to fly to Washington to make a first hand report of the Japanese attacks on the Panay.

Policemen and Firemen Get Christmas Insurance Gifts

Torrington, Conn., Dec. 24.—(AP)—Santa Claus visited the forty-seven members of the Torrington police and fire departments today. Each received as a gift a $1,000 life insurance policy from the Misses Elizabeth and Margaret Travis.

FINNS UNSATISFIED WITH SOVIET REPLY TO FLIGHT PROTEST

[Chicago Tribune Press Service.]

HELSINGFORS, Finland, Dec. 24.—Moscow's reply to a protest of the Finnish government concerning a flight over Finnish territory by twelve Soviet planes on Sept. 21 was reported "most unsatisfactory" by the Finnish foreign office. The contents of the soviet note, which arrived Christmas eve, emphasized and intensified unpleasant relations between Moscow and Helsingfors, but failed to dampen the holiday spirit here. The government announced that it considered further steps necessary to prevent the recurrence of aerial trespassing.

Concluding their third year of increasing prosperity, the Finns crowded the Lutheran churches this evening for the traditional Christmas service, giving thanks for another year of peace and plenty. The merchants' association reported the greatest Christmas trade in its history, while freezing weather and heavy snowfalls permitted the winter sports festivals to be held earlier than usual.

Similar reports came from Esthonia, Latvia, and Lithuania, where economic conditions are also improved, all four countries reporting complete absence of unemployment.

RELIGION SNAGS ALBANIAN KING'S PLAN TO MARRY

[Chicago Tribune Press Service.]

LONDON, Dec. 24.—King Zog, of Albania, is the latest monarch to run against religious opposition to his marriage. Mohammedan leaders are demanding that he be expelled from Islam if he marries a Christian, an oriental source here stated today.

A Mohammedan high priest of India has sent out circular letters to all Moslem organizations urging that they protest Zog's reported intention to marry an Italian. This action has been taken although there has been only the vaguest sort of rumor of the king's intention and the girl's name has not been mentioned.

The high priest is starting the campaign, it is understood, to persuade Zog to marry one of the granddaughters of the former sultan of Turkey. One of the plans is to send to Tirana, Albania, the leading mullahs [expounders of Islamic law] from India, Afghanistan, Persia, Syria and other Moslem countries to inform the king of the Mohammedan view.

CLIPPER PLANE AT PAGO PAGO ON N. Z. FLIGHT

PAGO PAGO, American Samoa, Dec. 24 [via Pan-American Airways radio].—(AP)—The eight Americans flying southward to start a new trans-Pacific air service landed at Pago Pago, American Samoa, at 4:10 p. m. [1:40 p. m. central standard time] today after an uneventful trip of slightly more than 11 hours.

Headwinds during the latter part of the trip delayed the landing slightly.

In Pan-American Airways Samoan Clipper the flyers left Kingman Reef at 5:06 a. m. Weather permitting, Edwin C. Musick plans to fly the 1,806 miles to Auckland, N. Z., tomorrow.

BELIEVE COUPLE HELD IN MOSCOW EX-NEW YORKERS

New York, Dec. 24.—[Special.]—Information indicating that Adolph A. Rubens and his wife, until last Oct. 16 residents of London terrace, here, may be identified as the mysterious Mr. and Mrs. Donald L. Robinson, seized by the soviets as spies, was being investigated by the state department tonight. Rubens, who described himself as a publisher, left with his wife on the Rex Oct. 16, after paying $630 in cash to a travel agency for their cabin.

Believe Soviet Envoy to Hungary Caught in Purge

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BUDAPEST, Dec. 24.—The soviet minister, Alexander Beksadian, who was called to Moscow some weeks ago, has not returned and the legation is being run by the chargé d'affaires. The Hungarian press hints Beksadian has been included in the "purge."

Mobile Guard Decreed to Handle Irate Arabs

PARIS, Dec. 24.—(AP)—President Albert Lebrun today signed a decree creating a mobile guard in Morocco, recognizing that the gendarmerie was insufficient to cope with recent disorders attributed to Arabs planning revolt against French rule.

NAVY INCREASES PACIFIC GUARD IN SPY RING SEARCH

Letter Seizures Bolster Reports of Plot.

San Francisco, Cal., Dec. 24.—[Special]—The United States navy's reinforced Pacific patrol tightened its guard today following the seizure of a sheaf of letters from the Japanese liner Tatsu Maru here yesterday and the subsequent capture by customs agents of a Japanese fishing boat.

Reports that a widespread espionage ring is operating on the west coast received apparent backing by the disclosure today that between 400 and 500 letters were seized. Such a large number would tend to contradict the perfunctory explanation of government agents that the letters were taken because of failure to comply with postal regulations.

Investigate at Navy Yard.

There was one report that the confiscated letters contained information about operations at the Bremerton, Wash., navy yard. In this connection it was learned today that federal agents from San Francisco have been mingling with workmen at the Bremerton yard for weeks in an effort to uncover espionage. It was said both communist and Japanese spy activities were being investigated.

In connection with the seizure at Los Angeles harbor of the 100 foot fishing boat Nancy Hanks, federal officials announced that at least one other and possibly five more boats suspected of Japanese ownership would be detained. Ownership of the numerous Japanese fishing craft along the coast is being checked by customs, immigration, and coast guard officials. California has about 1,000 commercial fishing craft owned or manned by aliens, and Japanese comprise approximately half this number.

The Nancy Hanks is registered to an American born Japanese, but federal agents said it actually is owned by Y. Suzuki, a Japanese subject.

Navy Vessels on Move.

While various authorities tightened restrictions on land, navy craft are moving up and down the coast in constant surveillance and 100 extra guards were placed on duty at Mare Island navy yard here.

Although navy official sources continued to describe the activities of these war craft as merely incidental to training, they, too, appeared unusually active.

They followed ships, including the Japanese freighter Kanai Maru, into Los Angeles harbor. The coast guard occasionally aided in these tactics. The navy patrol halted and investigated several fishing boats at San Diego, one of the fleet bases.

Nonnaval ships appearing in the channel near the Mare Island navy yard are warned away.

12 NAVY AIRPLANES SOON WILL HOP OFF ON TRIP TO HAWAII

San Diego, Cal., Dec. 24.—(AP)—Eighty-four officers and men from America's mid-Pacific air defense frontier are here awaiting orders to break the massed sky cruiser flight time record to Hawaii.

Twelve of the new navy's PBY-2 patrol planes have been delivered to them. The squadron personnel came from the fleet air base, Pearl Harbor, T. H.

Figuring on the performance of 14 similar new sky cruisers in a nonstop flight to the Canal Zone, 3,080 miles, earlier this month, some officers expect this 2,553 mile dash to Hawaii to be made in less than 19 hours. The last squadron flight to Pearl Harbor in April this year was made in 21 hours 25 minutes.

Relatives Find $30,000 Hid in Dead Bachelor's Bakery

Martinsville, Ind., Dec. 24.—(AP)—Relatives of the late George Clancy Matthews, an eccentric bachelor who wore his hair in a queue, said today they had discovered $30,000, including $1,008 in dimes, secreted in his bakery. Matthews had used kerosene lamps in his bakery.

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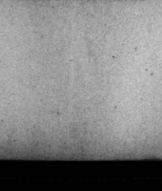

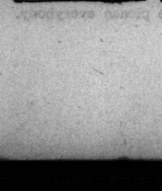

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GOOD WILL TO MEN.

Surely there is more than an illusion of the moment in the understanding which prevails today. It is at least improbable that people should contemplate each other for a limited time of pleasant sensations and uplifting emotions and be wholly in error then in their estimates of each other.

How amiable and excellent are all the peoples. The Germans are rich in the finest and most durable human characteristics. Their domesticity has been nurtured in affection and friendship and a German welcome is hearty, whole souled, and robust. The ancient city of Nuremberg, a medieval gem now in its setting of snow, is the home of toymakers and a shrine of childhood symbolic of the great German devotion to the family and the harthstone.

The kaiser's phrase "Kinder, Kirche und Kueche" may have been intended as a limitation, but it was more than that. It was a recognition of national instincts in the realization of which the people found durable happiness and a background against which the tremendous accomplishments of culture, scholarship, and material attainment could enrich life. They will yet reconcile the entrance of the gods into Valhalla with the constitution of Weimar.

If you want to make an Italian your friend, ask him to do a favor for you. The beauty of Italy has produced and nourished a generous people, gracious and simple in their way of life, singing at their work, rich in the heritages of 2,000 years. They push their vineyards, orchards, and wheat fields up the slopes of Vesuvius to the edge of the lava. Their ancient towns and seaports carry the vestiges of old glories. Here a highly endowed people have preserved the art of living and welcome the stranger with the cordiality of a host and the sincerity of a friend.

The French are our romantic realists whose chivalry, grace, wit, and intelligence seldom find an occasion they cannot improve or an inadvertence they cannot bless with a decoration. With steadfastness of devotion to the land, long tenure on cherished possessions, tenacity, thrift, and durability they have flashed the infinite variety of their ideas across the scene. They are most stable when they seem most fickle. They have made an art of childhood, a bewildering maze of politics, and a gem of the material side of life. The real helmet of Navarre is the pot au feu and the triumph of the egg is French. If there had not been eggs Frenchmen would have invented them, and if there had been no Frenchmen an egg would have hatched one. The Gallic cock salutes with every morning the rising sun and the new laid egg. Life is an omelet and the Frenchman makes it.

England is the land of perpetual and indomitable humor. Even burglars are men of family whose only dereliction is staying out late at night and getting in the wrong houses. The English do everything contrariwise and make a joke about it. A surfeit of cold mutton, cold potatoes, and mustard pickles created the greatest empire of the world, appropriated by spirited adventurers seeking relief from home cooking and staying where they found other food. They sing "Good King Wenceslaus" at Christmas time because he was a Bohemian king. They adore a king and will not let him go into the City without permission. They believe a duke should be contemplated and not criticized. They produce the fastest things on wheels and use a coach for their most ceremonial occasions, and when they are told to be frightened of air raids they make a joke of putting the gas masks on the baby and the Sealyham pup. They are seeking the speediest air lanes to connect the parts of their empire together and their national game takes more time than a flight from London to Cairo. A marvelous people who may say that all they are they owe to the canny, chancy, ramgunshoch Scotch without whom they would not have been British. What they might have been if they could have won the comradeship of the gallant and high spirited Irish passes understanding. No one should be that good.

The Swiss are the dauntless people. They did the seemingly impossible when they brought the German, French, and Italian tongues together in the common language of democracy in the liberties of their mountain home where they make excellent chocolates and are experts in needlework and all winter sports. Holland is the home of a sturdy people who propped back the ocean to make room for their cows, tulips, and counting houses, and who will knock down the props if ever there should be ten foot grenadiers to try to wade their canal.

The Scandinavian countries invite your attention to a miracle. Denmark, Norway, and Sweden have found a way to peace and with it prosperity. Here are the most amiable, intelligent, and democratic of people. Their handsome faces smile upon the world out of neighborliness and good will. They have mastered a secret of living and its beauty glows in lands deeply indented for the tides of northern waters. Other peoples may still be in search of the mysterious good which the Scandinavians and their neighbors of Finland have found within themselves.

If we should omit the Bohemians the galaxy would miss one of its finest stars. There are the chivalrous Poles, the gay and laughing Austrians to whom a throneless king turned for comfort, the sturdy Serbs, the resolute Albanians, and the hospitable Greeks. The Turk has become speakable. The Russians are extraordinary in dancing, have a noble music and literature, and are expert in needlework. The Rumanians are even more extraordinary in folk dancing and are expert in needlework. The Baltic provinces, now free from Russia, contain a fearless people.

The Japanese love of beauty softens the asperities of life which is daily ritualized in grace and harmony. The exquisite paintings reflect the perceptions of a people who find enchantment in a tree in blossom, in a lily on the water, the snow on a mountain, in a single flower against a background of nothing at all. They look for joy in childhood, dignity in old age, courtesy in their small affairs, heroism in their great moments.

The Chinese with their immemorial civilization make an art even of their handwriting. How minutely have a people cherished the detail of life who find in calligraphy an expression of the soul. The Chinese are the laughing people. Adversity cannot stop them. Even it will drop a bright feather. If much cannot be had a little will suffice a people whose patience is centuries old. For the Chinese a house grown naturally from the land on which it rises, a garden with a pool inclosed, a mountain and a moon, and with it all there is contentment. Without them one may recite a saying of ancient wisdom.

All the peoples tenderly nourish their children and love flowers. They produce great music and love it. They dance, sing, paint exquisitely, are poets and fond of nature. How great are the peoples of the earth!

THE FINAL APPEAL.

During each of the first fifty-one weeks of the year 1937 sixteen persons were killed and sixty-two painfully injured in motor accidents on the streets of Chicago. While the fatality average has shown an improvement as compared with 1936 when gasoline consumption is considered, the number of crashes and injuries has substantially increased. But these averages never apply to the closing week of the year. Despite expressions of peace and good will toward men, the last week in December is always the bloodiest. In 1936 the number of fatalities was nearly doubled.

The cause appears obvious. Trafic is substantially increased by the excessive amount of visiting, with a very much inflated attendance at all places of amusement. Taverns and roadhouses are crowded. Too little time is allotted to transportation, and in many instances individuals forget that they must drive home after the party, overlooking the frightful risk in that last glass.

THE TRIBUNE has made twenty appeals to motorists during the year through its editorial columns. A special appeal is made for the closing week. A little extra care and thoughtfulness will save the lives of a dozen victims condemned to death by previous records.

AN OLD ENGLISH CUSTOM.

Politicians in America will note with some alarm Sir Oswald Mosley's description of election tactics in Britain as "an orgy of baby kissing." It is true customs differ in different countries, even in different democracies, but baby kissing is not unknown among the arts of vote getting in these United States and it is by no means impossible that the evil may spread to these shores. Open resistance may be expected by well organized health services, but an election is an election and a vote is a vote.

The Manchester Guardian, from the pages of which we quote Sir Oswald, does not trouble to deny his charge. It falls back upon the remark, more reassuring to the British soul than to the American, that political baby kissing is an old English custom and it offers further and more attractive consolation in pointing out that the kissing has not been limited to babies. An example cited may bring comfort. It is the famous incident of the kiss bestowed by the beautiful Georgiana, duchess of Devonshire, to secure the vote of a butcher for her candidate, Charles James Fox, in the Westminster election of 1784. Another case, recorded by the poet Cowper, is that of a candidate named Grenville, who in soliciting the poet's vote "kissed the ladies and withdrew" and on his way out kissed the maid in the kitchen.

This evidence suggests that some discrimination was practiced even by an individual who impressed Cowper as "a most loving, kissing, kind hearted gentleman." But discrimination in politics is dangerous. The maid in the kitchen may have been quite kissable, but how about the cook, who seems to have gone unkissed, with the certain loss of her vote?

Editorial of the Day

PRESS FUTURE.

[Indianapolis News.]

When the President outlined his special session plans in a fireside chat he spoke this sentence: "Five years of fierce discussion and debate—five years of information through the radio and the moving picture—have taken the whole nation to school in the nation's business." His omission of mention of the press was generally noted and there was much conjecture as to whether he implied a rebuke to the information service of the press or merely forgot to include the press. It was recalled that a few weeks earlier Justice Black had declined to make his statement to the press on the ground that it might be distorted. It was also recalled that there were intimations that Justice Black had had the same helpers in preparing his defense that the President relies on to aid him in preparing some of his addresses.

In discussing the incident, the Saturday Evening Post is properly inclined to give little credit to the guess that the President intended to charge the press with failing in its duty to supply information. "This seems to be fair, for the people found the address printed in full the next day and soon proved by reading it that the press gave the speech, including the debated sentence, as the President delivered it. And in reading the speech to verify their radio impression, the people proved the soundness of the Post's belief that the newsreel and the radio do not especially menace the supremacy of the press. By press is understood, of course, the whole range of subject matter printed or written to convey information and opinion to others.

The press is bound to flourish if for no other reason than one emphasized by the Post, which points out that the printed word "will remain the historic medium of information and discussion for men who want to protest and be free." It requires no elaborate and government supervised radio sending equipment or costly newsreel distribution and display. It is by far the cheapest and most extensive means of disseminating information, a fact which is well known to every political leader whose appeal is to the masses.

AH, YES!

Some one told a film star that she knew nothing of love.

"I know all about it," was the reply. "I was frightfully fond of my third husband."—Exchange.

A LINE O' TYPE OR TWO

Here to the Line let the quips fall where they may. Reg. U.S. Pat. Office

UNDER SYRIAN STARS.

I have not looked on those unfretted hills
That guard the natal Bethlehem; nor kept
A watch for star-sheen that the midnight spills
Upon that vale where Mary's child first slept.
And yet I think that every heart must hold
The wellspring of a dream from which to slake
Some primal yearning. Surely Cæsar's gold
Turned lusterless when starlight fell to break
Through gloom for worn wayfarers in their flight!
Who would not bear a gift—who would not go
In haste past that forbidding inn, a light,
To find the travail ends in humble glow?
Though stars that blazed along the skyward way
Have set, *The Child* lives in our heart today.

Lucile Pittman Leech.

MERRY CHRISTMAS.

IT'S LIKELY AS NOT you'll have difficulty pronouncing Geschnitzeltes Kalbfleisch, but if you'll point it out on the menu they'll bring it gladly at the little Swiss restaurant tucked away west of the elevated railway tracks in the 900 block of Armitage avenue. It's veal chopped into bits and fried in wine and even better, if anything, than it sounds. Otto Zach and his wife discovered that Americans liked their native cooking in the Swiss village at the World's Fair. When it ended they bought a rather dimly lighted and none too pretentious place, hung up the banners of the Swiss cantons and an antique if not particularly attractive moonlight scene in the Alps, and went into business. There's this to be said for their restaurant: The Swiss themselves like it and go there on Sundays, when Mr. Zach cooks all his Swiss dishes. The rest of the week he has but one or two Swiss items on his menu. You can always get Swiss fried potatoes, which are chopped and browned in butter. The Zachs are very enthusiastic over anything Swiss, like watches, but shook their heads dubiously when Carrington Stone asked them if they ever saw any Swiss bell ringers in Switzerland.

MERRY XMAS.

(Trib Personal Ads.)

"Pieface—I wish you a Merry Christmas and a very happy New Year. Johnny."

"Private Investigator—Wish you a Merry Christmas. Princess."

"J.—Very Happy Xmas, Little Boy and His Goat. Call Mama. F. J."

MERRY CHRISTMAS.

HUSKY GENTLEMEN occasionally appear downtown these cold days in gray Cossack caps. No one ever seems to find courage to ask them where caps like that can be bought, or what they cost, but other gentlemen who are timid about wearing ear muffs always look so envious.

MERRY CHRISTMAS.

BISHOP WALDORF of the Methodist Episcopal church slapping a trafic cop on the back at Washington and Dearborn streets and telling him, "Cap, you're O. K." The cop has just helped an aged jaywalking couple into a street car, after withering a younger jaywalker. "Aw, I figure," the bluecoat explains, "you gotta do something nice at Christmas time." . . . Asked George E. Q. Johnson about the Q. He said yes, the story's true. He was originally just George E. Johnson, but guessing that some day he might want to be United States attorney and federal judge, he inserted the Q so no one would get him mixed. . . . Lawrence A. Downs, president of the Illinois Central, is another of those Hoosiers who went to Purdue. . . . Vincenzo Celli, who was ballet master at La Scala in Milan, won't need a manager when he gets back to Chicago in January. His brother Joe always stops whatever he's doing to take care of Celli's business. . . . Mark Cresap, clothing manufacturer and head of the Northwestern university board of trustees, doesn't like publicity. And he used to be a newspaper man.

MERRY CHRISTMAS.

You Mean McGuffey's?

And, says K. B. K., when he asked for Woollcott's Second Reader, the girl inquired, "For what age child?"

MERRY CHRISTMAS.

THE ROBOT BANK TELLER has made his bow in New York. He has precisely the same expression on his face as a bank president turning you down on a loan.

MERRY CHRISTMAS.

OLD CLOTHES MEN cultivate that disapproving look. They must find something wrong with the suit they're buying before the haggling begins, and then continue to discover new disadvantages until they carry it off. If it's bright and cheery, it's too conspicuous; somber, too unattractive; lightweight, won't do for winter; heavy, can't be worn in summer; in-between, nobody wants an in-between suit. Small suits are too small, big ones too large, and middle sized ones—well, men aren't buying that kind. The old clothes buyers' pessimism is confined to clothes, though; they're unusually merry gentlemen when not at work.

MERRY CHRISTMAS.

NOEL.

The little town is sleeping. On the hills
The flocks are quiet and the shepherds dream,
When lo! the night to heavenly music thrills,
And darkness flees before a star's white gleam.

The Wise Men follow swiftly with their gifts
To where a mother shields from night's alarms
A blessed Child, with haloed brow. She lifts
The world's Redemption in her tender arms.

O tiny Babe, wrapped close in Mary's love,
Now is all childhood blest, since thus you came;
O Prince of Peace! tonight again we prove
The power and the glory of Thy name.

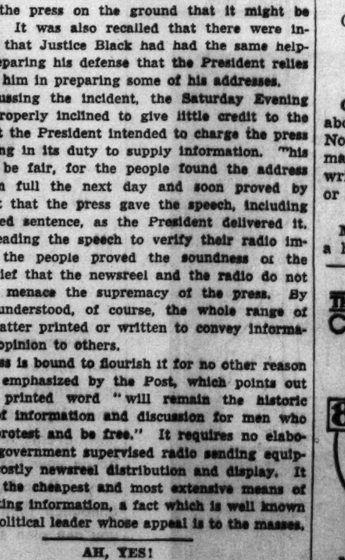
Adele Jordan Tarr.

MERRY CHRISTMAS.

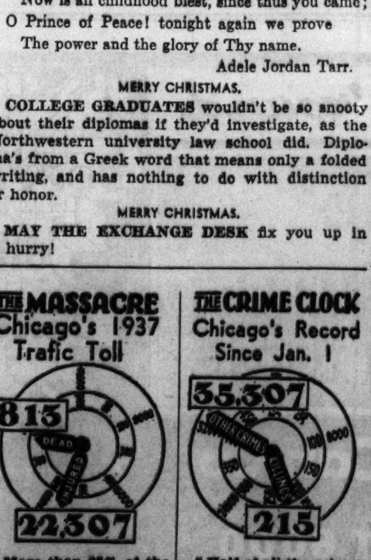
COLLEGE GRADUATES wouldn't be so snooty about their diplomas if they'd investigate, as the Northwestern university law school did. Diploma's from a Greek word that means only a folded writing, and has nothing to do with distinction or honor.

MERRY CHRISTMAS.

MAY THE EXCHANGE DESK fix you up in a hurry!



More than 88% of the city's automobile fatalities are of a nature physically impossible on an elevated highway.



"Half of all the crimes in Cook county are committed by repesters."—The Chicago Crime commission.

How to Keep Well By Dr. Irving S. Cutter

To the limit of space questions pertaining to hygiene and prevention of disease will be answered in this column. Personal replies will be made to inquiries, under proper limitations, when return stamped envelope is inclosed. Dr. Cutter will not make diagnoses or prescribe for individual diseases.

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NATURE'S BEST GIFT—GOOD HEALTH.

THERE are many heroes whose courage—tested by days and nights of fighting for the return of health—is all but forgotten, so engrossed are we in our own little worlds.

How much thought do we give to that drafted army of men and women engaged in a hand to hand conflict with the great white plague—tuberculosis? Many are whisked away from home and loved ones and consigned to the ministrations of strangers, perhaps in a distant clime, there to wage a contest with a stealthy foe. They hear no blare of trumpets, no cheers of charging men. All is silence.

How the time drags for some of them—weeks, months, years, filched from life. When sleepless nights occur, thoughts pour out like swirling foam in a Niagara of doubt. "Will victory come?" "How can I keep on?" Even when well-being returns, plaudits are lacking ofttimes. There may be wonderment—even consternation—that they came back so soon.

Then there are those who of necessity must brave some operative procedure, breathe the gas that brings blissful unconsciousness—a surcease from pain—while skilful surgeons try to untangle the wreck wrought by disease. But the bright side of it lies in the fact that the doctor's touch—more often than not—is followed by healing.

Need we wonder then that every true physician—deep within his heart—dreads the encounter with every malady that may endanger life? Nevertheless, his calling and his training demand that he face the challenge of the grim specter with high courage—with every faculty alert. If he is a real student he has at his command weapons tried and proved through centuries of growing knowledge. He is better equipped each year as scientific advances enhance his power.

But it is so much easier, simpler, and cheaper to keep well than to get well. Destroy the reserves of the system and trouble will ensue. Our effort then is to live sanely, playing fair with our nerves, blood vessels, and vital organs. Every unhygienic act creates a wound.

I have questioned many of my friends—with little success—as to why so many men and women—intelligent, even superior in some fields of knowledge—deliberately will gamble with physical welfare. They know that sickness is incapacitating and costly, but they are sure that it never will touch them. Common sense, coupled with a modicum of observation and reflection, teaches otherwise. The very intricacy of the delicate working parts of the human frame should inform every one that protecting—not abusing—these refined structures must be the rule.

It is related that Plotinus, a famous Greek philosopher, was ashamed of his body. To him it may have been a bad servant, but had he respected it more it would have served him better. Or, perhaps, he may have been a victim of his environment, beset with afflictions not of his own choosing. After all, we are obliged to risk human contacts and the way to ward off disease is by maintaining vigor at a high level.

But the possession of health need not petrify our hearts or render us incapable of comprehending the fate of those who are less fortunate. Both Robert Louis Stevenson and John Keats exhibited a unique type of heroism. Each contended valiantly against tuberculosis. But they captured far more than is given to us common mortals—the ultimate in spiritual values. The pity of it all is that with modern methods, in all probability, these two geniuses would have recovered had physicians known then what we know today about the management of the ailment.

What seasonal gift can outweigh health?

REMOVING SUN TAN.

H. W. writes: What is the best thing to use to bleach one's skin? Above the collar line I am about four shades darker than the rest of my body. Is lemon juice good?

REPLY.

Time and the avoidance of sunlight are the best tan removers. Lemon juice does no harm, but not much good, either. A common skin bleach is composed of hydrogen peroxide and vanishing cream.

FRIEND OF THE PEOPLE

Letters to this department must be signed with names and addresses of writers.

SAFE DEPOSIT BOX.

Chicago, Dec. 16.—[Legal Friend of the People.]—A year ago the 20th of this month my dad died and I understand there is no will—at least that is what my brother says. About a month before my dad died he said he would make a will and leave everything to my mother and myself and nothing to my brother. The day he died my brother grabbed the money [1] box with insurance policies and other articles and told me to keep my nose out of their business as I was not wanted.

The only way I found out about the [2] insurance was from strangers. I don't think the home is in probate. My brother just took it all on himself to manage everything.

3. I understand he will try to sell the home and [4] after all I certainly am entitled to my share, being his daughter. My mother is not able to handle matters and my brother does everything.

5. I have no money for an attorney, so just what should I do and where should I go to get my share? I notice my brother's name appears with my mother's on the tax bill.

6. Please advise me what to do to get my share.

7. I tried to talk to my mother but don't get any satisfaction. A. H.

1. In general, a safety box left by a deceased person should be opened only in the presence of representatives of the inheritance tax office. You do not make clear whether this was done.

2. Rights in insurance would depend on the wording of the policies.

3. Unless the title was in joint tenancy, the property would not be readily saleable without probate.

4. We agree with you unless the title was in joint tenancy.

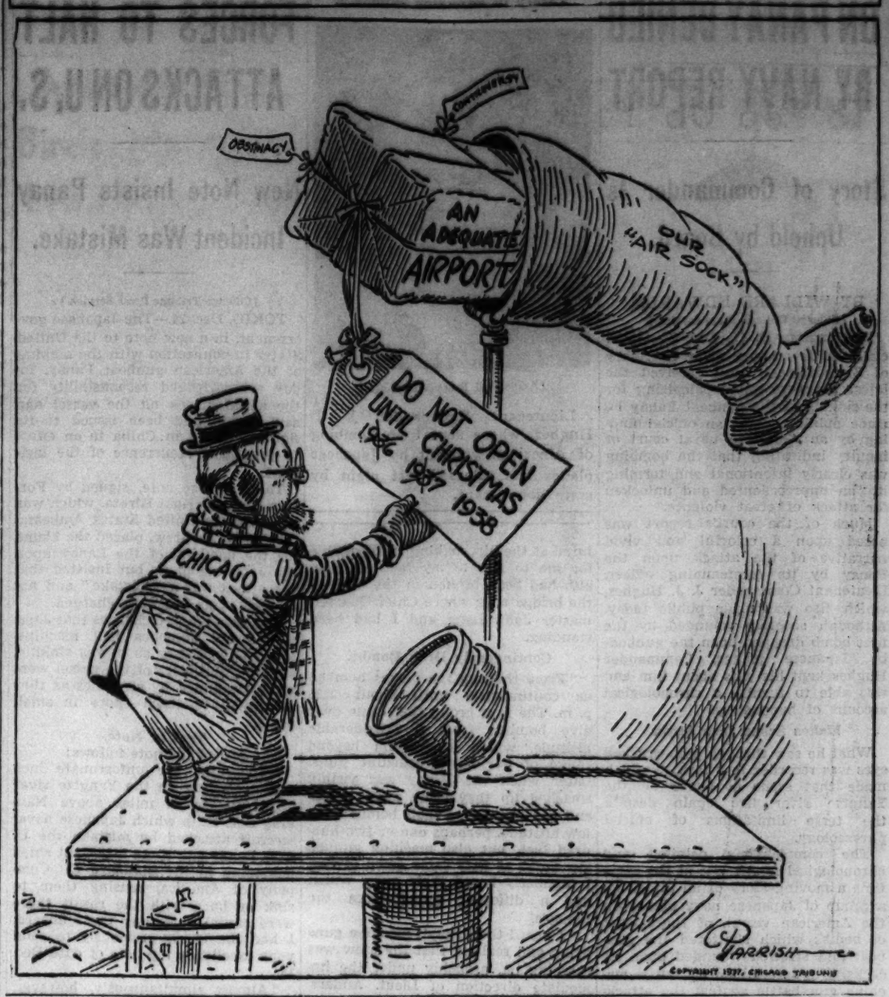
5. You might employ an attorney on a contingent fee.

6. You do not make clear what possibilities you have exhausted. For example, have you obtained the information that your mother has in her possession?

7. See 6.

TRIBUNE LAW DEPARTMENT.

STILL TIED UP



VOICE OF THE PEOPLE

Writers should confine themselves to 200 or 300 words. Give full names and addresses. No manuscripts can be returned. Address Voice of the People, The Tribune.

CALL FOR A REPUBLICAN GATHERING.

Galesburg, Ill., Dec. 20.—I have long been an admirer of the former President Hoover and have listened, perhaps with some bias in his favor, to what he has had to say in his various radio addresses since the time when he was first a candidate for the presidency.

I read with interest your editorial about him this morning. As far as THE TRIBUNE is concerned, I have been a reader for a much longer time than I have known Mr. Hoover.

I have long been an admirer of Senator Borah and have read with interest all he has had to say pertaining to the welfare of this nation from the time he opposed President Wilson on the issue of our entry into the league of nations.

I am impressed with the thought that each of these men and THE TRIBUNE want to accomplish practically the same purpose, which is the greatest possible freedom and liberty [taking into consideration the conditions and times in which we are living] that can be attained for the American people.

Unfortunately for the American people and the Republican party, each of these gentlemen and THE TRIBUNE have widely different notions about the accomplishment of this objective. I believe that the lack of success of the Republican party is due as much to the fact that these two men and THE TRIBUNE and other similar minded newspapers have been content to each play a lone hand and make no effort, so far as the laymen can see, to harmonize their views, other than to suggest negative courses of action one to the other.

What a fine thing it would be for the American people and the future of the Republican party if a number of former Republican leaders—Mr. Hoover, Mr. Borah, the editor of THE TRIBUNE, Mr. Landon, Mr. Hamilton, Mr. Frank, and a host of others whose respective ability is unquestionable—could be thrown into a convention or assembly together, much as we segregate a jury and compel them to stay there until they arrive at one verdict.

Maybe a better illustration can be had from our own American history. If these men could be assembled in such a convention as that which drafted the American constitution, and if these men could give some small measure of thought to the rehabilitation of the Republican party, as compared with the thought and ability which the framers of the constitution brought to their task, I, as a layman and one who has spent his lifetime in the Republican party, would have no fear as to the party's future.

JERRY A. HARN.

Front Views and Profiles By June Provines

WHEN you admire your Christmas tree this morning you might reflect that the first Christmas tree is popularly ascribed to Martin Luther. After wandering one Christmas eve under the clear winter sky lit by the stars, he set up for his children a tree with countless candles, an image of the starry heaven—the first *weihnachtsbaum*. This is legend, perhaps.

Christmas trees—
Records—
Prayer—
Bus driver—
Sash.

The first historical reference to a Christmas tree is found in the notes of a citizen of Strasburg who wrote in the year 1605: *"At Christmas they set up fir trees in the parlor at Strasburg and hang thereon roses cut out of many-colored paper, apples, wafers, gold-foil, sweets, etc."*

The Christmas tree was introduced into France in 1840, when Princess Helene of Mecklenburg brought it to Paris. In 1841 Queen Victoria and Prince Albert set up a Christmas tree at Windsor castle. But there had been a Christmas tree in England before that, for in 1789 Mrs. Papendick wrote in her Journal: *"Mr. Papendick proposed an illuminated tree in the German fashion."* An early mention of a Christmas tree in England is to be found in Greville's Memoirs, too.

"The Princess Lieren got up a little fête such as is the custom in Germany," he wrote in 1829. *"Three trees in great pots were put upon a long table. . . ."*

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OUTSTANDING Christmas record from a sales standpoint—the Christmas Hymns and Carols of the Trinity choir. They were sold out at one of Chicago's largest music stores on Thursday. Another popular Christmas gift record was the Cesar Franck symphony, also the Tschaikowsky Fifth. The two records of the new tenor, Bjorling, were a Christmas week demand.

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CHILD'S Christmas prayer, as prayed by Claire, the small daughter of Marcelle Duffé of Chicago, who wrote it:

Dear little Lord Jesus,
Your birthday is coming—
We're all of us waiting
To greet You that Day.
And I have a candle
To set in the window
To light you the way.

Please help me remember
Whatever I do
That all of the presents
Are really for You,
Because You were born
To show children like me
How God wants us all
To live and to be.

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A SMALL girl in an East Chicago kindergarten told the teacher she would like to hear the Christmas story of the little girl who ate the ribbon and got sick. Unable to identify the tale from the request, other children were given their choice in turn. In due season one child selected "'Twas the Night Before Christmas." At the first lines the first little girl waved her hand enthusiastically and said, "That's the one I wanted."

"But why did you think there was any one sick in it?" questioned the teacher.

The child triumphantly reminded her of the lines "I sprang from my bed to see what was the matter, tore open the shutters, and threw up the sash. . . ."

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A very Merry Christmas to you all, and especially to the salesgirl in the five-and-ten who tested each Christmas tree light she sold.

FEWER FARMERS, MORE CROPS.

Chicago, Dec. 15.—From 1910 to 1930 the population of the United States increased from 92 million to 123 million, which is practically one-third.

Of the "gainfully employed" in 1910 more than 12 million were engaged in agriculture. By the same ratio the number in agriculture should be about 16 million in 1930. The census of 1930 shows only a little over 10 million so employed.

In other words, we had 2 million fewer farmers to feed 30 million more people. That was seven years ago, and our surplus food supply is now increasing so rapidly that the whole nation is in a stew to know what to do about it.

Paying farmers for doing nothing is not a good idea. If the government must spend money to meet this situation, and if our economists cannot think of anything useful for the displaced farmers to do, then they might put some engineers and inventors on the job. Apparently, the engineers and inventors have brought on the present trouble, and it would not be unreasonable to ask them to solve the problem. CASPER L. REDFIELD.

MR. HOOVER'S WITHDRAWAL.

Chicago, Dec. 21.—When the baseless charge that Mr. Hoover has avoided any announcement of his intentions in the matter of a possible presidential candidacy appeared in your Voice of the People, or other contributed columns, I passed it over as due to ignorance; but when the same baseless charge appears on the editorial page, it is just too, too much.

Mr. Hoover made a radio address to a Republican gathering in Massachusetts some time in November, which he prefaced by saying, in effect: "To avoid any possible misunderstanding of my position, I wish to say that I am not a candidate for any public office.

I heard him say it.

THE TRIBUNE has been my political mentor, lo, these many years, and I always resent any charges of unfairness that are made against it. But in this case I think you owe Mr. Hoover an apology.

CORNELIA TEMPLETON HATCHER.

CHRISTMAS CAROLS.

Chicago, Dec. 2.—I wish to praise the thoughtfulness of THE TRIBUNE in making it possible for shoppers to enjoy beautiful Christmas carols over the loud speakers on State street. Coming out of stores after being pushed and stepped on, the shoppers are suddenly brought back into the holy spirit of Christmas when they hear the songs of peace on earth. MRS. ROBERT FRANSON,
President, Hermosa Woman's Club.

TAKEN UNDER ADVISEMENT.

Delavan, Wis., Dec. 17.—As sort of a Christmas favor would you please put June Provines back where she belongs and fill up the space with more Voice of the People? Here's hoping.

MERLIN C. WHARTON.

SLOGAN.

Chicago, Dec. 18.—In the New Year let every one adopt the slogan, "Make '38 Like '28." It may help build up confidence. E. J. M.

SANTA CLAUS WILL DO HIS BEST

[Glasgow Record.]

But it's difficult to please everybody.

Chicago Daily Tribune
THE WORLD'S GREATEST NEWSPAPER

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 25, 1937.

To Pep Up Your Wardrobe

WOMAN'S AND MISS' FROCK.

Do you need a little wardrobe extender at the moment? If you don't, your case is indeed unusual. Most of us find our winter clothes collections are tiresome 'round about now. A peppy new frock is just the tonic your wardrobe needs, and it need not be expensive. The dress illustrated today is a simple and tailored one that will fill the niche perfectly. It has a high neckline which may be trimmed with a pert bow or with a bow and jabot. The sleeves are squared off at the shoulders. The bodice may be plain, or buttons and a couple of tiny pockets may give it distinction. A narrow belt encircles the waist. The skirt, a paneled one, is plain.

The design illustrated at the left is grand for afternoons, and is particularly suited to matrons. The style at the right takes beautifully to soft woolens in pastel or bright shades, nice for the office and informal events during the day.

There are various accessories provided for in the pattern: two clever collars and a belt. They are sketched at the lower right. If you omit the jabot you might wear your favorite triple strand of pearls or novelty beads. The effect is fashionable and striking.

Style No. 3194 is designed for sizes 14, 16, 18, and 20 years, and 32, 34, 36, 38, 40, 42 and 44 inches bust measurement. Size 36 requires 3½ yards of 39 inch material, with ⅜ yard of 39 inch contrasting for dress and jabot.

LIKE MOTHER, like daughter is only one of Clotilde's new style ideas for fall dresses shown in her 32 page Fashion Book for Winter, 1937-'38. Contains 116 descriptions of new dresses for the coming season. Get a copy today at the Tribune Advertising and Public Service offices, 1 South Dearborn street and Tribune Tower. Price, 15 cents, or 20 cents for the book and one Clotilde pattern, if ordered at the same time.

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Cocktails Ruin Otherwise Good Scheme for Reducing

BY ANTOINETTE DONNELLY.

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You don't hear so much counting at mealtime as you used to—calorie counting, we mean- but it goes on in figure-watchful circles just the same. Indeed, one famous woman, whose 60 pound reduction story we registered in these columns some time ago, says with authority: "Balance your calories or you won't stay thin!" Yes, Benay Venuta, the girl who lost the sixty pounds, says there's no difficulty in losing weight. It is in keeping your weight at the level you've attained after dieting.

The process of dieting is, in itself, a torturous procedure. It seems that foods to which you ordinarily are indifferent suddenly take on a tantalizing aroma. So you can imagine the discouraged perplexity of a woman who has undergone that rigorous strain for weeks or even months, only to find her scales juggling about, maybe two pounds heavier one day, an even keel the next, again a rise and so on.

"The key to the situation," according to Benay, "is memorizing the caloric content of all foods and liquors."

It is in liquors and their caloric content that certain women may find the reason for their ups and downs in weight, mostly ups, if they keep a their cocktails too consistently. As Miss Venuta points out, many women will eat carefully throughout the entire day at mealtime, avoid rich deserts, maybe ignore them entirely, and then they'll go out for cocktails and ruin the day's work entirely.

Our authority has done some investigating on the caloric content of certain favorite late afternoon and pre-dinner pickup drinks. One popular cocktail she itemizes as containing 150 calories per glass; another, also popular, containing 250 calories. A third favorite is nearer 300 calories. She gives a fairly clean slate to beer, putting its caloric content per glass at around 75.

As a general liquor gauge our authority offers: Gin drinks, low in calories; white wines, ditto. Brandy, high, and liqueurs high. Red wine about 100 calories to the glass, and, of course the sweeter the higher.

If you must have your cocktails, then, our authority advises going in for dancing in a big way for, as Miss Venuta figures it, a slow waltz will cause an expenditure of 280 calories, a fox trot consumes 335 calories, the rhumba around 500, and the shag approximately 750. If you drink and dance, she figures, you may break even.

"It's far more healthful to keep your weight balanced," she adds, "than to go on liquid diets whenever the scales fluctuate into the upper brackets."

Simone Simon to Spend Her Holiday Ill in Bed

Hollywood, Cal., Dec. 24.—[(AP)]—Simone Simon will have to spend Christmas in bed. Because of a throat infection, the actress was sent home by a studio physician yesterday. Production of the film "Josette" was postponed until next Thursday.

Families Meet for Holiday in Modern Mode

BY JUDITH CASS.

MERRY CHRISTMAS, and, to quote Thomas Tusser, who wrote the words in the sixteenth century, "At Christmas play and make good cheer, for Christmas comes but once a year." Gone are the big family celebrations that those of middle age and more remember so pleasantly and sentimentally—time lends enchantment, no doubt, to such memories—for in these days of apartment and hotel living there are few families that attempt such big reunions as used to be prevalent in "the good old days."

Not that families don't get together for Christmas dinner, for they do; but they do not have the large and prolonged reunions of all the kith and kindred in quite the same way that it was done years ago. Which, as we said before, is a matter for regret by the "oldsters," but is regarded as a blessing by most youngsters who, as a rule, dislike big family gatherings that last very long.

It's all very well to go to grandmother's house for dinner, arriving in time to hear only a few relatives say, "My, how Junior's grown!" and then enjoy a good old fashioned Christmas dinner and leave shortly after it for some ice skating, or some tea-dancing or some other form of entertainment, depending upon Junior's age. But it's not to any modern young person's liking to have to remain at a family reunion for hours and hours.

When Christmas Dinner Parties Will Be Held.

The junior Edward A. Cudahys are having a family dinner at noon today in their Lake Forest home. Their guests will include Mr. Cudahy Sr., who is delaying his annual California trip until March. Mrs. Patrick A. Valentine and the Philip Armour family will dine with the Lester Armours in Lake Forest. Mrs. J. Ogden Armour is going to be with her children and grandchildren, the John J. Mitchells and their little son and daughter. Those of the Dixon clan who are in town will dine with the William Dixons. George W. Dixon and his son-in-law and daughter, the Stanley Zarings, already have gone to their winter home at Coconut Grove, Miami, Fla. Only fourteen will sit down at the Will Dixons' table instead of the forty Dixons who used to spend Christmas together.

The Huntington Henrys will spend the day with their granddaughters and the children's parents, the Gordon Kelleys, in Lake Forest; the junior Charles S. Deweys are having a family dinner at their Astor street home.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin W. Sims will have a regular old fashioned Christmas this year for they will have a big family dinner today, and tomorrow they will keep open house. Dining with their parents today will be Dr. and Mrs. Peter C. Krupp and their four children, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Sims Jr., and Mr. and Mrs. John F. Evans Jr., John F. Evans III., and the senior Mr. and Mrs. John F. Evans. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sims and their two sons will not be with the rest of the family for they are dining with Mrs. Sims' father, Frank McNair.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sims are going to Kohler, Wis., for the New Year week-end as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Kohler. Over the same gala week-end the junior Sidney Gorhams will visit the junior Walter Kohlers, and Miss Mera Galloway and Herbert De Young will be the house guests of Herbert Kohler and his bride, the former Ruth De Young.

Comings and Goings Over the Week-End.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Langdon Hubbard of Grosse Pointe, Mich., arrived Thursday with their three children to spend Christmas with Mrs. Hubbard's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frederick H. Scott in Hubbard Woods. The Scotts' other daughter, Mrs. Albert Keep of Sheffield, Mass., and Mr. Keep, will spend Christmas with Mr. Keep's mother, Mrs. John P. Wilson, and Mr. Wilson of North State parkway.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Webber McNear have gone to Montgomery, Ala., to have Christmas with their son-in-law and daughter, Capt. and Mrs. Stewart Warren Towle Jr. Before they went south they sent out cards for a cocktail party they will give next Thursday afternoon, from 5 until 7, for Capt. and Mrs. Towle and for Miss Marian Greenlee and her fiancé, Detmar Finke, who are to be married next Friday. The McNears and the Towles will arrive in Chicago on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Owen B. Jones are planning a quiet Christmas dinner at home with their children, for they just have returned from a trip abroad. Also at home from Europe for Christmas is Miss Margot Atkin, whose parents, Mr. and Mrs. Godfrey H. Atkin, and brother-in-law and sister, the junior Mr. and Mrs. W. Hamilton Noyes, will celebrate Christmas together.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Scott Linn will spend Christmas on shipboard, for they sailed last Saturday from Boston aboard the Lady Drake for a 38 day cruise to Barbados. Mrs. Frank C. Letts has arrived from Washington to spend Christmas with her daughter, Mrs. George F. McLaughlin Jr., in Lake Forest.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Meeker have with them over the holidays Mr. Meeker's daughter, Miss Marcia Meeker, who is a student at Barnard college in New York. Here for the last two months with Mr. and Mrs. John M. Trainor Jr., has been a pretty visitor from Sweden, Mrs. Trainor's sister, Miss Gorel Gyllenkrok. Miss Gyllenkrok will go to Florida next month. The Trainors and their baby daughter are living with his mother, the senior Mrs. Trainor, in Glencoe.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert F. Sise [Susan Miller] of Wellesley Hills, Mass., are

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Introduced to Society

[TRIBUNE Photo.]

Miss Gertrude Smith, who made her debut at a tea-dance at the Arts club yesterday given by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Garritt Smith of Evanston.

Miss Gertrude Smith Makes Bow at Dance

Miss Gertrude Smith was introduced to society at a tea-dance yesterday afternoon at the Arts club. Wearing a charming *robe de style* of peach and silver lamé, and carrying a spray of peach colored orchids, the debutante and her parents received in a gallery near the lounge, where there was dancing. The gallery was banked with huckleberry greens and vases of silver wedding and Sally roses. The lounge was decorated with silver Christmas trees and poinsettias.

Surprise guests at the party were the bud's sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Paul L. Fentress, who came from New York just for the week-end. Because they came west at the last minute Mr. and Mrs. Smith invited a few of Mr. and Mrs. Fentress' young married friends to the dance.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren W. Shoemaker and their debutante daughter, Miss Helen Shoemaker, will receive at the Indian Hill club after 5 o'clock this afternoon. There will be dancing at the party, which is Miss Shoemaker's formal introduction into society.

She has asked 25 young women to assist, and 30 young men, among them Warren W. Shoemaker Jr., will act as ushers. Most of the assistants were at the North Shore Country Day school or the Sarah Lawrence college with the bud, who is attending Northwestern university this winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank W. Manegold will be at home also after 5 o'clock this afternoon at a tea they are giving to introduce their daughter, Alice. Miss Manegold, who is a student at Briarcliffe, has asked Miss Gertrude Galloway, Miss Barbara Englehart, Miss Karen Gardner, Miss Jean and Miss Nancy Sturtin, Miss Peggy Hodge, Miss Wilma Swissler, and Miss Patricia O'Neil to assist at the tea tables.

After the tea Mr. and Mrs. Manegold will take their daughter, her assistants, and their escorts to the Drake for dinner and dancing.

What will undoubtedly be a most interesting tea is one that Miss Barbara Englehart will give for Miss Manegold Tuesday afternoon at her home in Evanston. Among the hundred guests invited will be several members of the Russian ballet.

The date for the debut tea Dr. and Mrs. Dwight Chapman Orcutt are giving for their daughter, Miss Frances Orcutt, was changed from Christmas day to tomorrow afternoon. Assisting Miss Orcutt at the party, which will be held from 4 until 7 o'clock at the Orcutt home, 786 Greenleaf avenue, Glencoe, will be Miss Barbara Austin, Miss Louise Galbraith, Miss Joeine Norcott, and Miss Helen Shoemaker, among others. Miss Orcutt is in her junior year at Northwestern university, having studied previously at Gulf Park college.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond E. Durham will give a luncheon at the Indian Hill club tomorrow for their debutante niece, Miss Adelaide Sweetser. Miss Sweetser will return to Sarah Lawrence college Jan. 5.

Mrs. Philip Kreuscher is entertaining at a tea dance at home in Lake Shore drive tomorrow for Miss Dorothy Benedict and Miss Jane Weary, two debutantes of the season.

Bride Today

[Green Photo.]

GERALDINE McGRAW.

Miss Geraldine McGraw, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph McGraw of 1551 Juneway terrace, will be married to Olwin Frederick Ackley of Aberdeen, S. D., this afternoon at 4:30 o'clock in the Howes Memorial chapel on the campus of Northwestern university. A dinner will follow at the Orrington hotel in Evanston. Miss McGraw will be attended by her twin sister, Miss Lydia McGraw. The sisters are celebrating their birthday today, too. Mr. Ackley was graduated from Northwestern university in June, 1936, and Miss McGraw was graduated from the same university last June. After a honeymoon in Florida Mr. and Mrs. Ackley will be at home in Aberdeen.

Lily Pons Has Birds Hanging Heads in Film

"HITTING A NEW HIGH."
Produced by RKO-Radio.
Directed by Raoul Walsh.
From story by Robert Harari and Maxwell Shane.
Presented at the Palace theater.

THE CAST.

Suzette	Lily Pons
Corny	Jack Oakie
Cosmo	Eric Blore
Blynn	Edward Everett Horton
Jimmy	John Howard
Mazzini	Eduardo Ciannelli
Mario	Luis Alberni
Hale	Jack Arnold
Jevons	Leonard Carey

By Mae Tinée.

Good Morning!
And
A very Merry Christmas to you all!

Fascinating little Lily Pons of the lilting voice finds a most enhancing vehicle in "Hitting a New High."

It not only provides opportunity for her to be in evidence most of the time, much of which she occupies with the singing of arias and specially composed modern ditties, but offers new outlets for her glorious voice in the way of bird song and call imitations, and harmonization with musical instruments.

The story is a preposterous little affair. You discover Suzette singing in a Paris café. . . . Her ambition to be an opera singer is far on the way to realization when she is "discovered" in the tropics by Impresario Blynn—who is also a big game hunter. Or thinks he is. For long he has been on the trail of a VOICE. . . . His press agent, Corny, "frames" the jungle discovery.

Here Blynn comes upon a supposed "bird woman," of whom all the natives stand in awe. And captures the twittering darling, and, eventually gets her to New York, where she promptly starts singing in a night club that features the band she'd sung with in Paris, and whose handsome American leader is her fiancé. . . . [Sounds complicated? IS!]

How, about to get what she worked for all her life, Suzette flutters back to her band leader—and a lot of other "hows" are entertainingly made much of . . .

Intriguing backgrounds and dialog, able direction and excellent cast support lend tang to the lightweight story. [That John Howard IS the best looking thing!]

See you tomorrow.

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Yule Shopping Comes to Wild, but Happy End

BY RHEA SEEGER.

Merry Christmas! For some it's a day to count the most exciting packages ever unwrapped; for the last-week shoppers a day to forget the rush of crowds for the army that stood behind counters a day of joy and rest.

For the Scrooges who suddenly became alive and got into the spirit of things, it is the day to remember . . . the lump in the throat when they heard the first Christmas carol floating out on the air in the midst of a milling crowd of shoppers, the contagious fervor of people thinking of something other than the daily grind.

Music in the street—from scarlet-coated Santas or trumpeted from the huge amplifiers—the glee and frenzy of all kinds of small boys and girls out on their annual trip to town.

In spite of a pushing, bundle-hung crowd it was fun. Fun to watch staid gentlemen stand paunch next to paunch before the fabulous miles of electrified trains. More fun to watch the appreciative swarm that bought and trotted out with all sizes of Charlie McCarthy dolls; fun to listen to the incomplete and hazy information all the gentlemen would deliver when they essayed the purchase of gift hosiery; fun to see the delighted approval of the same buyers in the lingerie and negligée departments.

Our shopping memories include the harassed gentleman with four dingy youngsters in tow, a fifth tear-stained toddler in his arms; this shopper was minus his hat and his hair had the appearance of a wind-blown wheatfield; all the kids were yelling and demanding. One saw a weary and bewildered pup huddled under the arm of one small boy.

The best laugh came at an information desk that stands next to the store doors. A frantic and flustered gentleman stood in line for his turn with the information clerks, ignoring the stream of shoppers entering and leaving, the streams almost touching his elbow. His nerve gone, he shouted above the merry din: "Will you please tell me *how* to get *out* of this confounded place?"

We still think December is the best month of the year!

The Housewife

By EDITH WEIGLE.

If you're taking a trip south after the holidays you'll need one of the clever new irons that are made especially for the traveler and take up little space in a trunk or bag.

One of them comes in a little letherette case. It's so inexpensive that it wouldn't tax the most anemic budget.

Another is slightly larger and is made differently, with a stout handle that folds away. The base of this iron is a good deal broader. It is so light in weight that it is really fun to use. And it costs less than $5.

[For information about these items telephone Edith Weigle, Tribune Public Service office, Superior 0100.]

Looking at Hollywood
By Ed Sullivan

Bachelor Gold.

Hollywood, Cal., Dec. 24.—Despite the fact that this town, the movie capital of the world, is crowded with seductive beauties from every corner of the globe, there are on the loose hereabouts fifty bachelors who represent, in cold cash, at least 30 million dollars. Whether the girls will land them in the new year directly ahead remains to be seen, but it is a sad commentary on the beauties of Hollywood that these fifty matrimonial prizes are still footloose.

Charlie McCarthy. His boss is a bachelor.

Take for instance [and many a girl would like to take him], young Alfred Gwynne Vanderbilt. On his 21st birthday young Vanderbilt inherited $5,000,000. Now I grant you that a girl would have to scrimp and save and do her own housework to get along on that feeble budget, but if she were in love she might make the sacrifice.

Although youthful Alfred Gwynne has exposed himself for two or three winters to the glamor girls of Hollywood, nothing has happened. It's almost incredible. There is no doubt that he is in somewise responsible. Young Vanderbilt is a firm believer in the old saw about safety in numbers, and he hops from one eyeful to another with such remarkable speed that it's almost impossible to keep track of him in a column such as this.

At the moment, he is squiring young Mary Maguire, the Australian movie lass, and before that, it was Gertrude Niesen.

Clark Gable, Robert Taylor, Tyrone Power, William Powell and Nelson Eddy, the five cinema matinée idols of the world, are bachelors as they head into 1938. Powell and Eddy are completely fancy free. Gable is wooing Carole Lombard, Taylor is wooing Barbara Stanwyck and Tyrone likes Janet Gaynor, but at the moment for the record, all five of 'em are bachelors.

Edgar Bergen currently is earning himself about $6,500 a week. A girl could make a go of it on that income, and she'd have Charlie McCarthy for kindling wood if things got tough. Bergen, however, is a bachelor. So is Rudy Vallee, who spends all of his time away from crooning clipping coupons. Vallee, like young Vanderbilt, plays the field, getting more mileage out of his heart than any of the eligible bachelor millionaires.

Howard Hughes, reported secretly wedded to Kathie Hepburn, is an elusive target for Dan Cupid. Hughes, to aid his getaways, travels in a high powered airplane. To catch him, a girl would have to leg it at a 320 mile pace, and by the time she caught him, she'd be too winded to do anything but collapse.

If a girl would like to get herself a title—one of the oldest in Burke's Peerage—we can offer her the earl of Warwick. In fact, we have a fine stock of Britons, stout fellas all, out here. Brian Aherne, Cary Grant, David Niven, Herbert Marshall, Ronald Colman and Reginald Gardiner are some of the single-o Englishmen in the movie colony. Grant may be retired from the bachelor lists this coming year by Phyllis Brookes, and Benita Hume may cancel out Colman.

I can offer you a nice catalog of juveniles, if you like them younger—Wayne Morris, Jimmy Stewart, Jon Hall, Kelly Anthony, Jimmy Blakeley, Bob Taplinger or Denis O'Keefe. Too young, you say? Well, how about Joseph Schenck, multi-millionaire prexy of 20th Century-Fox pictures? Or cosmopolite Edgar Allen Woolf? Something with a red nose, madam? W. C. Fields, step forward, and register love for the lady.

Bruce Cabot, George Raft, George Brent, Abe Lyman, Doug. Fairbanks Jr., Carl Laemmle Jr., Cesar Romera, Gregory La Cava, Benny Thau, Jimmy Ritz, Vic Orsatti, Don Alvarado, William Wyler, Busby Berkeley, Ken Murray, Milton Berle, A. C. Blumenthal, Eddie Sutherland, Charles Butterworth are some others immune to Hollywood charmers.

Some of them, once bitten, are chary of a second bite. If you'd prefer a literary love, what say you to Gene Markey, Bob Riskin, Norman Krasna, Delmar Daves, Sidney Kingsley, Jean Negulesco or Jerry Wald?

You will have to speak up quickly for at least three of these, as I think Ann Graham has firmly attached Krasna; Leah Ray has Wald talking to himself, and Monsieur Negulesco of Rumania is paying ardent court to Binnie Barnes.

W. C. Fields, Charles Butterworth, Ken Murray, Milton Berle and Jimmy Ritz are really bachelor novelties, for it is a curious fact, and provable, that comedians naturally gravitate into the holy bonds of wedlock. Cantor, Benny, Pearl, Wynn, Allen, Hope, Burns, Lahr, Harry Ritz, Al Ritz, Joe E. Brown, Phil Baker, Groucho, Harpo and Chico Marx, Jessel, Penner, Gosden, Correll, Oakie—show me a comic, and I'll show you a married man. I guess they need an audience to try out their material, or it would be kinder to suggest that the comics are naturally affectionate.

Alfred G. Vanderbilt. Finds safety in numbers.

With congress in a dither over the problem of raising new taxes, it seems to me that the legislators could win the feminine vote as well by putting a capita tax on the bachelors of the country.

I think I've got something there, by gracious. Sullivan for president, on a tax-the-bachelor platform. With the married men's vote and the unmarried women's vote, I'd flash along the political horizon like a thunderbolt from the blue. In any event, something has to be done about the bachelors of Hollywood. They're having much too good a time.

ENGAGEMENTS

Last evening Dr. and Mrs. Robert Edwin Wilder, 2316 Sherman avenue, Evanston, announced the engagement of their daughter, Betty De Vere Wilder, to Donald Simpson Eddy, son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hooker Eddy, 1558 Ridge avenue, Evanston. Miss Wilder, who has spent several years studying art, last Sunday had her third annual exhibit of water colors and oils at the Evanston Woman's club.

Mr. and Mrs. Leland Kendrick Neeves of Glencoe announce the engagement of their daughter, Katharine Houston, to Charles A. Ullrich son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert H. Ullrich of Wilmette.

Mr. and Mrs. Maximilian Wisinski of 2338 Medill avenue announce the engagement of their daughter, Loretta, to Edward Staskiewicz, son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Staskiewicz of 925 West 31st street.

It's Silver Wedding Day for the McKnights and Brittons

The Timothy I. McKnights and the Floyd E. Brittons will celebrate their 25th wedding anniversaries with a reception at the McKnight home, 2110 Central Park avenue, Evanston, from 5 until 9 o'clock today. They were married Dec. 25, 1912, in Mound City, Ill., by the late Rev. J. W. Britton, father of Mr. Britton and of Mrs. McKnight, whose maiden name was Lucille Britton.

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Ethical Society.

The women's club of the Chicago Ethical society will give their annual Christmas bridge party at 203 North Wabash avenue this evening. Proceeds of the party will go to the Henry Booth house. Mrs. Horace J. Bridges is chairman of the party.

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A Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year

GASOLINE ALLEY.—AND A MERRY CHRISTMAS TO YOU

SHE'S HAD ALL OF HER TOYS AND MOST EVERYTHING ELSE ON THE TREE AND STILL—
JUDY WANT TUP-TUP!
THAT'S EASY. SHE WANTS THE TIP-TOP.
WE'LL SEE IF YOU'RE RIGHT, CORKY.
TUP-TUP!
12-25
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Girl Holding the Floor Is Often Disliked

BY DORIS BLAKE.

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Marlene says that she is "slim, versatile, and considered an excellent conversationalist." Holds a good job, has many friends of both sexes, professional people for the most part. But with all these assets she is morbid, unhappy, angry at herself most of the time.

"To others," she says, "this condition seems unreasonable and silly. To me, it is important."

To you it is important, Marlene, and thinking it so makes it of a great deal more importance than it is. In other words, we suspect, Marlene, that you are by way of becoming one of those confirmed young egotists whom normal people like to give as wide a berth as possible. Better hop right out of it, girl. You're young enough to change your habits of thought, and if you're really interested in getting one of the opposite sex interested permanently, you'd better try for a wiser slant on yourself.

Morbidity goes with folks whose egotism separates them from the common run of associates. The anger may be due to feeling that you are not appreciated for your superior worth. No one is appreciated for superior worth who is conscious of superiority. The consciousness simply raises a Chinese wall that no one is going to be bothered these days trying to scale.

There always is a big element of danger revealed in the confession of a young woman that she is a brilliant conversationalist. One knows, without ever seeing the person, that she loves to talk, loves to hog the floor, and is miffed if she isn't getting applause. So, the less consciousness of her conversational ability a girl portrays, the more popular conversationalist she is going to be. Put that down, Marlene, from one who has heard men dismiss the conversational expert with a swift decision. "She talks too much!"

Anyway, there is only one real conversationalist any of us appreciate and that's the person who talks about how grand we are.

St. Louis Hails Menuhin, but Is Cool to Concerto

St. Louis, Mo., Dec. 24.—(AP)—High praise for Soloist Yehudi Menuhin's presentation of Robert Schumann's "Lost Concerto" for violin in its American orchestral première with the St. Louis Symphony orchestra was coupled today with expressions of doubt as to the work's merits by St. Louis music critics. Wave after wave of applause rolled from an enthusiastic audience that packed the spacious Auditorium opera house last night after Menuhin's performance. The concerto was Schumann's last work and was written for Joseph Joachim, noted violinist who died in 1907. Its world première was given last month in Berlin.

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"TROUBLE AT MIDNIGHT"
Nino Martini, "MUSIC FOR MADAME"
LEXINGTON 719 S. Crawford—Open 1:00
"Man Who Cried Wolf"
RONALD COLMAN in "LOST HORIZON"
AVENUE Cicero at Jackson—Open 1 P. M.
Bruce Cabot—"BAD GUY"
Bette Davis Henry Fonda "That Certain Woman"
4 STAR 2418 W. Madison—3 Stooges Comedy
R. Arlen, F. Wray—"Murder in Greenwich Village"
AMERICAN 8 N. Ashland—2 FEATURES
Gladys George, "MADAME X"
James Cagney, "Something to Sing About"
B'DWAY STRAND 1641 W. Roosevelt
"Hopalong Rides Again," Ritz Bros., "Life Begins in College"
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"THE OLD WYOMING TRAIL" and
"FEDERAL BULLETS," G-Man Thriller!
CRAWFORD 19 S. Crawford—2 Features
"FEDERAL BULLETS"
"ESCAPE BY NIGHT"
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"Footloose Heiress," Richard Arlen, "Murder in Greenwich Village"
WEST END 121 N. Cicero—2 Features
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FOX 3167 ELSTON—Open 1:30
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Movie Stars in "Sunday Night at the Crocadero"
JEFF 4750 Milwaukee—Open 12:30
XMAS GIFT FREE TO KIDS
TERRY WALKER—"FEDERAL BULLETS"
TOM TYLER—"A LAWMAN IS BORN"
REVUE 3956 Elston—Open 1:30
FREE XMAS GIFT TO KIDS
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Irene Dunne, "HIGH, WIDE AND HANDSOME"
"Murder in Greenwich Village," Richard Arlen
Free Santa Claus surprise pkge. to every boy, girl
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LOGAN Milwaukee at Sawyer
"THE WESTLAND CASE"
JESSIE MATTHEWS in "GANGWAY"

NORTHWEST
ALAMO 3639 W. Chicago Ave.
TONY MARTIN ★ RITZ BROS.
'LIFE BEGINS in COLLEGE'
J. Barrymore—"Bulldog Drummond Comes Back"
FAMOUS 3644 Chicago Ave. "BIG HOUSE"
Plus "Old Wyoming Trail"
MILFORD 3311 N. PULASKI RD.
Big Xmas Show—Clary Cooper, Geo. Raft, "SOULS AT SEA"—Jane Wyman and Dick Purcell, "Public Wedding"—Comedy, Cartoon, News
AVALOE 2811 W. Diversey—Late Show 10 P. M.
"Public Wedding" & "March of Time"
Gary Cooper, Geo. Raft, "SOULS AT SEA"
Gala Xmas Show—Candy & Toys to Kiddies!
METRO 3308 Lawrence Ave.—2 Features
Jack Oakie, "MURDER IN THE VANITIES"
Freddie Bartholomew, "Little Lord Fauntleroy"
DALE 2360 Milw.—"TROUBLE at MIDNIGHT"
& Warner Baxter, Virginia Bruce
Loretta Young, "WIFE, DOCTOR & NURSE"
ROGERS 2516 FULLERTON
Noah Beery, Jr. "Trouble at Midnight"
W. Baxter, Loretta Young, "Wife, Doctor & Nurse"
AVON 3327 Fullerton—2 FEATURES
"PUBLIC WEDDING," Gary Cooper,
Geo. Raft, Frances Dee, "SOULS AT SEA"
IRVING 4003 Irving—2 FEATURES
"HIGH, WIDE AND HANDSOME"
"Footloose Heiress," "Breakfast for Two"
EMBASSY 3940 Fullerton—Dick Arlen
"Murder in Greenwich Village"
Irene Dunne, "High, Wide and Handsome"
LIBERTY 3705 Fullerton—Mat. Daily
Bob Livingston, "Range Defenders"
Robert Armstrong—"THREE LEGIONNAIRES"

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CICERO
OLYMPIC 20c 6136 W. Cermak Rd. 25c
1 to 5 P. M.—Then
Henry Baker, Frank McHugh, Jane Wyman
"MR. DODD TAKES THE AIR"
"TOPPER" Constance Bennett, Roland Young, Cary Grant
VILLAS 5603 W. Cermak Road—Open 1
"Murder in Greenwich Village"
SONJA HENIE, Tyrone Power—"THIN ICE"

OAK PARK
LAMAR Marion at Lake St. "L"—2 Features
"Partners in Crime," Ronald Colman,
Madeleine Carroll, "PRISONER OF ZENDA"
LAKE Lake and Marion Sts.—Ritz Brothers,
"LIFE BEGINS IN COLLEGE"
Jas. Gleason, Zasu Pitts, "40 Naughty Girls"
SOUTHERN 828 S. Oak Pk.—2 Features
"PUBLIC WEDDING," Loretta Young, Warner Baxter, "Wife, Doctor & Nurse"

AUSTIN
SYMPHONY 4937 W. Chgo.—Open 1 P. M.
"BREAKFAST FOR TWO"
Richard Arlen—"Murder in Greenwich Village"
IRIS 5743 W. Chicago—Op. 1:30—20c, 1:30-6:30
Our Gang Serial—"Federal Bullets"
Jessie Matthews, Nat Pendleton—"GANGWAY"
AUSTIN Ronald Colman, Loretta Young
"Bulldog Drummond Strikes Back"
Michael Whalen—"TIME OUT FOR ROMANCE"
PARK Barbara Stanwyck, John Boles
Ann Shirley—"STELLA DALLAS"
5900 Lake Tom Brown—"ROSE BOWL"
PLAISANCE 400 N. Parkside—Single Feature
Loretta Young, Warner Baxter,
Virginia Bruce, "WIFE, DOCTOR & NURSE"

GLEN ELLYN
GLEN IRENE DUNNE
RANDOLPH SCOTT
Dorothy Lamour—"HIGH, WIDE & HANDSOME"

HINSDALE
HINSDALE Chicagoland's One & Only 20c
Single Feature Theatre
D. Durbin, "3 Smart Girls"—3:05-5:25-7:45-10:05

DOWNERS GROVE
TIVOLI Open 1:30—Extra—(Popeye)—Newsreel
Geo. O'Brien in "WINDJAMMER"
James Cagney in 'SOMETHING TO SING ABOUT'

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Ted Healy
Franchot Tone—"GENTLEMEN ARE BORN"

HIGHLAND PARK
ALCYON WARNER OLAND
KEYE LUKE
Joan Marsh—"CHARLIE CHAN ON BROADWAY"

LAKE FOREST
DEERPATH Continuous Performance
2 to 11 P. M.
Deanna Durbin, "THREE SMART GIRLS"

HOMEWOOD
HOMEWOOD Open 1:30—Cartoon
"MARCH OF TIME"
Gary Cooper, Geo. Raft—"SOULS AT SEA"

BLUE ISLAND
GRAND JAMES CAGNEY
EVELYN DAW
Open 1 P. M.—"SOMETHING TO SING ABOUT"

MAYWOOD
LIDO
Mr. Paul Muni in "THE LIFE OF EMILE ZOLA"
Errol Flynn—Joan Blondell
"THE PERFECT SPECIMEN"

FOREST PARK
FOREST MADISON at DES PLAINES
DOUBLE FEATURE
JAMES CAGNEY "Something to Sing About"
LIL THE 8 MESQUITEERS
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Pinky Tomlin, Toby Wing—"With Love & Kisses"

BROOKFIELD
STRAND Matinee Today—Come and See
Our Newly Installed Seats
G. Cooper, G. Raft, Frances Dee, "Souls at Sea"
"PUBLIC WEDDING," Jane Wyman

BERWYN
NEW RITZ 6343 W. Roosevelt
B. Stanwyck—"Breakfast for 2"
Richard Arlen—"Murder in Greenwich Village"
ROXY 3245 Grove Ave.—Open 1
"MURDER IN GREENWICH VILLAGE"
BARBARA STANWYCK—"BREAKFAST FOR 2"

ELMWOOD PARK
ELM 7340 Grand Ave.—Charlie Chase
Comedy—"BIG SQUIRE"
'WESTLAND CASE' & 'SATURDAY'S HEROES'

PARK RIDGE
PICKWICK Open 1:30—The Ritz Bros.
"LIFE BEGINS AT COLLEGE"
Joan Blondell, P. O'Brien, "Back in Circulation"

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Boris Karloff "WEST OF SHANGHAI" | Shirley Temple 'HEIDI'
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J. Oakie—J. Boles "Fight for Your Lady" | Constance Bennett Warner Bros. VOGUES OF 1938
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PEOPLES 47th & Ashland | O'Brien—Blondell "BACK IN CIRCULATION"
MIDWEST 35th & Archer | ALSO—James Cagney "SOMETHING TO SING ABOUT"
Also Walt Disney Xmas Cartoon
BRIGHTON 4221 Archer | I. Dunne—R. Scott "High, Wide and Handsome"
BOULEVARD 55th & Ashland | Also "FEDERAL BULLETS"
HALFIELD 55th-Halsted | Irene Dunne, "High, Wide and Handsome"; Preston Foster, "Breakfast for Two"
REGENT 6824 S. Halsted | Gary Cooper, George Raft, "SOULS AT SEA" & Cary Grant, "TOPPER"
SHAKESPEARE 43rd & Ellis | G. Cooper, G. Raft "SOULS AT SEA"
KENWOOD 47th & Kimbark | —ALSO— "PUBLIC WEDDING"
Disney Xmas Cartoon
HARPER 5240 Harper | Irene Dunne, "High, Wide and Handsome"; Barbara Stanwyck, 'Breakfast for Two'
HYDE PARK 5312 Lake Park | Gary Cooper, 'Souls at Sea' W. Baxter, 'Wife, Doctor, Nurse,' Also Mickey Mouse
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• VOGUE 3810 Broadway—OPENS 1:00
James Cagney, "SOMETHING TO SING ABOUT"
Zasu Pitts, "40 Naughty Girls"
• MODE 3912 Sheridan—"High, Wide & Handsome, "Murder in Greenwich Village"
• 400 6746 Sheridan—"STELLA DALLAS"
Bette Davis, 'THAT CERTAIN WOMAN'
• DEVON 6225 Bdwy.—'40 Naughty Girls'
'Bulldog Drummond Comes Back'
• BIOGRAPH 2433 Lincoln—"High, Wide & Handsome" 'Murder in Village'
• NO. CENTER 4637 Lincoln—3 FEATURES
O'Brien, "WINDJAMMER"
"BACK IN CIRCULATION," "MADAME X"
• DAVIS 4614 Lincoln—'Breakfast for Two'
"Murder in Greenwich Village"
• BUCK'M 3319 N. Clark—"40 Naughty Girls"
"SOMETHING TO SING ABOUT"
• ARGMORE 1040 Argyle—2 FEATURES
Nino Martini, "MUSIC FOR MADAME" & "Murder in Greenwich Village"
• VIC 3143 Sheffield—"FEDERAL BULLETS"
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Jane Wyatt
CALO 5400 N. Clark—Open 1 P. M.
RANDOLPH SCOTT
IRENE DUNNE
"High, Wide & Handsome"
FAY WRAY—RICHARD ARLEN
"Murder in Greenwich Village"
TEMPLE 5241 N. Clark—Op. 1 P. M.
"WESTERN GOLD"
Kenny Baker, 'MR. DODD TAKES THE AIR'
RIDGE RIDGE AT DEVON—Open 1:30
I. Dunne, "High, Wide & Handsome"
Richard Arlen—"Murder in Greenwich Village"
BERTHA 4717 Lincoln Ave.—Open 1
Spencer Tracy—"BIG CITY"
Warner Baxter—"WIFE, DOCTOR and NURSE"

SEASON'S GREETINGS
COLONY 80th-Kedzie Open 12:45
No. 1—Sonja Henie in "THIN ICE"—No. 2—Richard Arlen in "MURDER IN GREENWICH VILLAGE"
HIGHWAY 63rd & Western Open 12:45
MARQUETTE 63rd & Kedzie Open 12:45
No. 1—Irene Dunne Randolph Scott in High, Wide & Handsome
No. 2—Barbara Stanwyck Herbert Marshall in Breakfast for Two
CHELTEN 79th-Exchange Open 12:45
No. 1—Gary Cooper, George Raft in "SOULS AT SEA"
No. 2—Spencer Tracy, Loretta Young in "MAN'S CASTLE"
JACKSON PK 67th-Stony—Open 1:30
Randolph Scott
Irene Dunne—"HIGH, WIDE & HANDSOME"
Richard Arlen—"Murder in Greenwich Village"

NORTH
ROSEWOOD Op. 12:30—Owl Show—3 Feat.
BETTY BOOP & NEWS
A Merry Christmas Program for All!
"ALICE IN WONDERLAND"—Charlotte Henry & Cooper-Fields—Grant—Horton—Robson—Arlen
"MUSIC FOR MADAME"—NINO MARTINI
"CHEROKEE STRIP" with DICK FORAN
"March of Time"—"Santa's Workshop," Xmas Cart.
WINDSOR 1225 N. Clark—Open 1:30
Joan Blondell, Pat O'Brien
"BACK IN CIRCULATION"
& GLADYS GEORGE "MADAME X"
WARREN WILLIAM
BRYN MAWR 1125 Bryn Mawr at "L"
Mat. Daily—Open 1:00
SONJA HENIE—"THIN ICE"
"MURDER IN GREENWICH VILLAGE"
PLAZA 308 W. NORTH AVE.
TWO FEATURES
JACK BENNY—MARTHA RAYE
in "ARTISTS AND MODELS"
James Ellison in "ANNAPOLIS SALUTE"
DE LUXE 1141 WILSON
Barbara Stanwyck, Herbert Marshall, "BREAKFAST for TWO"
Preston Foster, "THE WESTLAND CASE"
HOWARD Howard St. "L"—Late Show
Open 1:30—Two Features
Pat O'Brien, Joan Blondell—"Back in Circulation"
Constance Worth, George O'Brien—"Windjammer"
BUGG 3 Feat.—"The 13th Man"
Will Mahoney, "Sez O'Reilly to MacNabb"
Douglas Montgomery—"HARMONY LANE"
GOLD COAST 15c Clark & North
Till 5 P. M.
GEORGE RAFT—"RHUMBA"
LAKE SHORE 3175 Broadway—Matinee
"MUSIC FOR MADAME"
Bette Davis, Henry Fonda—"That Certain Woman"
CINEMA 151 E. Chicago—Warner Baxter
Loretta Young, Virginia Bruce
"WIFE, DOCTOR AND NURSE"
DEARBORN Op. 1:30—Deanna Durbin
in "3 SWEET GIRLS"
Gable-Colbert—"It Happened One Night"
PANORAMA 717 Sheridan Road
Anne Shirley
Barbara Stanwyck, John Boles—"Stella Dallas"
MUSIC BOX 3733 Southport Ave.—Open 1
"Murder in Greenwich Village"
Irene Dunne—"HIGH, WIDE AND HANDSOME"
CITY 3031 Lincoln—Matinee
Spencer Tracy, Luise Rainer, "BIG CITY"
James Ellison, "ANNAPOLIS SALUTE"

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Merry Christmas To All
STATE-LAKE
LATE SHOW SUNDAY
The howling story of a Palace RAVE-olution!
JOE E. BROWN
In FIRST SHOWING of "FIT FOR A KING"
HELEN MACK, PAUL KELLY
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2 HOLIDAY HITS!
1 EDDIE CANTOR in "ALL BABA GOES TO TOWN"
JUNE LANG ROLAND YOUNG TONY MARTIN
2 LESLIE HOWARD BETTE DAVIS OLIVIA DE HAVILLAND "It's LOVE I'm After"
LA SALLE MAD.-CLARK—OP. 10:30
BARBARA STANWYCK "BREAKFAST FOR TWO"
WOODS RANDOLPH & DEARB. Op. 10:30—LL Show
JAMES CAGNEY "SOMETHING TO SING ABOUT"
GLADYS GEORGE "MADAME X"

SOUTH
EMPRESS 63rd & Halsted | Sylvia Sidney, Jean McCrea, "DEAD END" Also "FEDERAL BULLETS"
REX 65th & Racine | Spencer Tracy, Luise Rainer in "BIG CITY" "Said O'Reilly to McNab"
ACE 63rd & Halsted | 'Trouble at Midnight,' Noah Beery Jr. Geo. Raft, G. Cooper, "Souls at Sea"

EAST SIDE 10555 S. Ewing Ave.—Start 1 P. M.
"WITHOUT ORDERS"
Ann Sheridan—"FOOTLOOSE HEIRESS"
Free Cup and Saucer to the Ladies
DREXEL 858 E. 63rd—Open 1:00—15c to 2:30
Mat. Big Xmas Kiddie Party
"Youth on Parole," "Roundup Time in Texas"
E. A. R. 8839 Wentworth—George Raft, Gary Cooper, "SOULS AT SEA"
& Nino Martini, "MUSIC FOR MADAME"
HARVARD 63d & Harvard-Drs. Op. 1:30 P. M.
"WESTLAND CASE"
PAUL MUNI in "LOUIS PASTEUR"
COMMERCIAL 9150 Commercial, Op. 11:30
Joan Blondell, Pat O'Brien
'Back in Circulation'—Geo. O'Brien, 'Windjammer'
RAY 3632 E. 75th—Jeanette MacDonald, Joe E. Brown, Zasu Pitts, "LOTTERY BRIDE"
"LAST OUTPOST"—Cary Grant, Gertrude Michael

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Extend to All Chicago
Merry Xmas Greetings
AVALON 79th & Stony FREE PARKING
FRED ASTAIRE
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"A Damsel in Distress"
...with JOAN FONTAINE
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Open at 1 P. M.
TODAY! Make the holiday more enjoyable by seeing one of these grand screen attractions! Take the family with you!
"THIS WAY PLEASE" with Jane Ivory's MARY LIVINGSTONE Hillbilly McGee and Molly HED SPARKS BETTY GRABLE
Open at 1 P. M.
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"It's LOVE I'm After"
OLIVIA D. HAVILLAND
STRATFORD 63rd-Halsted Open 12:45 P. M.
LAST SHOW 10:45—STAGE:
"XMAS REVUE"
with HILLS VARIETY CIRCUS
Screen: Jack Holt—Jack LaRue
G-Men Crack Down on Gangland!
"TRAPPED BY G-MEN"
COSMO 79th-Halsted—"Breakfast for Two"
"Murder in Greenwich Village"
SHORE 75th-Kingston—"GANGWAY"
Sonja Henie in "THIN ICE"
OAKLAND 3847 Drexel—"Westland Case"
"High, Wide and Handsome"
HAMILTON 71st-Paxton—"BIG CITY"
"Wife, Doctor and Nurse"
RHODES 79th-Rhodes | Ritz Bros. Tony Martin "LIFE BEGINS AT COLLEGE"
BEVERLY 95th-Ashland | Free Parking at Both Theatres.
JEFFERY 71st-Jeffery | Pat O'Brien "BACK IN CIRCULATION"
HIGHLAND 79th-Ashland | Pitts & Gleason "FORTY NAUGHTY GIRLS"
OGDEN 63rd-Ashland | Pat O'Brien "BACK IN CIRCULATION"
GROVE 76th-Cottage | John Barrymore "Bulldog Drummond Comes Back"
FROLIC 55th-Ellis | Irene Dunne "HIGH, WIDE AND HANDSOME"
LEXINGTON 1163 E. 63rd | Barbara Stanwyck "BREAKFAST FOR TWO"
"MET" "BACK IN CIRCULATION" and "FIGHT FOR YOUR LADY"

SOUTH
KIMBARK 6340 Kimbark Ave.—Drs. Open 1:00
25c ALL DAY
SPENCER TRACY "BIG CITY"
LUISE RAINER
Loretta Young, Warner Baxter, 'Wife, Dr. & Nurse'
SUNNYSIDE 7219 Wentworth
Gary Cooper, "The Plainsman"
Edw. E. Horton, "LET'S MAKE A MILLION"
RADIO Halsted at 51st St.—Open 1:30
Jean Parker, "WICKED WOMAN"
OLYMPIA ASHLAND AT 47TH
Fred MacMurray, Madge Evans, "MEN WITHOUT NAMES"
PARK MANOR 321 E. 69th St.—Op. 1
Myrna Loy, "Whipsaw"
George Raft, "EVERY NIGHT AT 8"
MICHIGAN 110 E. Garfield—2 FEATURES
"ESCAPE BY NIGHT," Joan Barrymore, "Bulldog Drummond Comes Back"
MIDWAY Cott. 63rd—Myrna Loy, Cary Grant
"WINGS IN THE DARK"
"Meanest Gal in Town," Z. Pitts—13th Wk., E. Parr
WOODLAWN 1328 E. 63rd—Rumbles & Roland
"PEOPLE WILL TALK"
"Murder in the Vanities"—V. McLaglen, J. Oakie
RAMOVA 35TH & HALSTED
The Ritz Brothers in "LIFE BEGINS IN COLLEGE"

Families Meet for Holiday in Modern Mode

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spending Christmas in Winnetka with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William S. Miller.

Richard Kimball and his fiancée, Miss Katherine Vinson, will have Christmas dinner with his parents, the G. Kook Kimballs. Miss Vinson lives in Cleveland where young Mr. Kimball is engaged in business, and they will be here just for the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Winston Lewis May Jr. are here from New York to have Christmas dinner with Mrs. May's parents, the Harve G. Badgerows, in Winnetka. Also with the Badgerows will be their other daughter and her husband, the junior Scott J. Dows, and their two boys, Harve Badgerow Dow and Scott III.

While all the rest of us are opening our present around a Christmas tree this morning and later eating turkey dinners, Mr. and Mrs. Earle J. Zimmerman and their son, Charles, will be hunting mountain lions in Monterey, Mexico. They left Chicago last Sunday and don't expect to arrive home until after New Year's.

Garnett-Kirk Wedding to Be Monday.

Monday afternoon at 4:30 o'clock, in the Drake hotel, Mrs. Dorothy Garnett, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus Logan Garnett of Evanston, will be married to Alexander Kirk, with Judge Robert Jerome Dunne officiating. Only a few intimate friends will attend the ceremony. Miss Claire Beneke will be the bride's only attendant, and Louis C. Sudler will be Mr. Kirk's best man. Mr. and Mrs. Kirk and her nine year old daughter, Phoebe Ann Steger, will live in the Marshall Field apartments.

The Longmeadow Hounds, of which Clark J. Lawrence is master, will hold an end of the season run this morning. The Hounds will meet at 11:30 o'clock at the kennels.

Miss Bobette Boysen and her brother, Bigelow, are giving an egg-nog party today from 11 to 1 o'clock in the Boysen home at 325 Fullerton parkway.

The Charles Daniel Freys' State parkway home will be filled with friends today from 11 to 2 o'clock, for Mr. and Mrs. Frey are giving their annual Christmas eggnog party during those hours.

The Christmas afternoon outing of the friends of Mr. and Mrs. Ayres Boal will take them to the Boals' hospitable big home in Sheridan road, Winnetka. The Boals are holding open house this year, as they always do.

Miss Henrietta Boal, for whom the Christmas at home was a debut three years ago, Stewart and Ayres Boal Jr., and the junior Mrs. Boal, will assist in dispensing hospitality. Also present will be the Boals' nephew, George B. Massey Jr., and his bride, who are here from Mexico City to spend Christmas with Mr. Massey's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George B. Massey.

Dr. and Mrs. Louis Wendlin Sauer will be at home from 5 to 7 o'clock this afternoon at 454 Sheridan road, Winnetka.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Schulze Jr. will be at home from 4 until 7 o'clock at 300 Abbottsford road, Kenilworth.

Mrs. Siqueland Plans Engagement Tea.

Mrs. Tryggve A. Siqueland is giving a tea at home tomorrow afternoon to celebrate the engagement of her daughter, Alyce, to Ditlef Knudsen, son of Mr. and Mrs. Anton Knudsen of Oslo, Norway. Mr. Knudsen, who is an attaché at the Norwegian legation in Washington, D. C., arrived yesterday to stay until after New Year's with Mrs. Siqueland and his fiancée. He is a cousin of Dr. Johannes Zimmer of Oslo, who married the former Margo Siqueland last summer.

Miss Gretchen Walrath will entertain tomorrow afternoon from 4 until 7 o'clock at her home in Evanston for Mr. and Mrs. Fred D. Stone Jr., who have just arrived in Evanston from their honeymoon in Florida. Mrs. Stone was Miss Miriam Hart before her marriage to Mr. Stone on Nov. 19.

The Frank Osborne Elliotts are entertaining at cocktails tomorrow afternoon at their Commonwealth avenue apartment. Mrs. William George Lee is entertaining similarly tomorrow for her son, Alden M. Haupt, who is a student at Harvard.

Christian Lauritzen, who is at home from Harvard for the holidays, is giving a cocktail-dancing party tomorrow, from 3:30 until 7 o'clock, in the Gold Coast room of the Drake hotel for his former classmates at the Chicago Latin School for Boys and a group of their feminine friends. Young Mr. Lauritzen is a sophomore at college.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward J. White are giving the bridal dinner tomorrow night at their home, 1260 Astor street, for their daughter, Miss Constance White, and George A. Bates, whose bride lovely young Miss White will become on Monday night. The wedding reception will be given at the White home, too, after the 8:30 o'clock ceremony in St. Chrysostom's church.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert M. Adams are giving a dinner for Mary Faith Wilson, sub-deb daughter of the Laurence O. Wilsons, tomorrow night, and are taking their guests afterwards to see Sonja Henie skate at the Chicago Stadium.

Another sub-deb party at the Stadium tomorrow night will be one Mrs. Frederic McLaughlin will give for her daughter, Barbara, who is at home for the holidays.

At the ballet tomorrow night Miss Bertha Erminger and her fiancé, Aldis J. Brown Jr., whose engagement was announced yesterday, will be receiving congratulations from all of their friends in the audience. They are going in a family party with Mr. and Mrs. Howell B. Erminger Jr., and the Erminger's other daughter, Mrs. John de Laittre, and Mr. de Laittre.

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Anniversary Dance.

The Douglas Park Day and Night Nursery will give its twentieth anniversary dinner-dance tomorrow evening at 6 o'clock in the grand ballroom of the La Salle hotel.

WEDDING

Mrs. Anna Krauss of 5335 Ellis avenue announces the marriage, to take place today, of her daughter, Sabina, to Myron L. Friedman.

WINNIE WINKLE, THE BREADWINNER: Christmas Cheer

AND NOW, CHILDREN, BECAUSE YOU'VE ALL BEEN SO GOOD WE HAVE A BIG SURPRISE FOR YOU!
HOORAY FOR MRS. GABBER!
MRS. WRIGHT HAS INVITED SANTA CLAUS TO THE PARTY!
HOORAY FOR MRS. WRIGHT!
OKAY, WILL! WE'RE READY!
HELLO, MY LITTLE FRIENDS! I'VE BROUGHT YOU ALL SOME VERY FINE GIFTS!
HOORAY FOR MISTER WRIGHT!!
DEC. 25
Reg. U. S. Pat. Off.
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According to CULBERTSON

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"Dear Mr. Culbertson: At a bridge party a question was raised which I should like to have answered. I was South.

East, dealer.
Both sides vulnerable.

NORTH
♠ A J 10 3 2
♥ 9 7
♦ K J 3 5
♣ 10 5

WEST
♠ 7 6
♥ 8 5 4 3
♦ Q 7 3 2
♣ 9 3 4

EAST
♠ 9 5
♥ A K Q J 10 6 2
♦ A 9 6 4
♣ None

SOUTH
♠ K Q 8 4
♥ None
♦ 10
♣ A K Q J 7 6 3 2

The bidding:

East	South	West	North
2 hearts	4 clubs	Pass	4 spades
5 hearts	7 clubs	Pass	Pass
Double	Pass	Pass	Pass

"West opened the heart eight and, after the dummy was laid down on the board, seven clubs was easily made. South trumped East's ace of hearts and led three rounds of trumps. South then led the king and queen of spades. South then played a low spade to the dummy's ace. South discarded the ten of diamonds and contract was made.

"East raised the argument that West should have led a diamond instead of a heart. Should West have led a diamond or a heart, according to the bidding?

"Was my bid of seven clubs correct, or should the contract be six clubs?

"Yours very truly,
J. S. B., Malden, Mass."

Before I take up the question of the opening lead I must comment on the bidding. East's opening bid was, of course, a terrific stretch. His hand did not remotely justify an opening forcing bid. But, when North and South, in the face of this bid, climbed gayly up to a grand slam, West certainly should have become highly skeptical about his partner's two bid. That being so, it would be merely discreet for him to have selected the opening lead logically instead of automatically. East's heart rebid, particularly on the evidence that he had slashed the requirements of a two bid, pointed to a long solid heart suit. West himself had four, which made it quite likely that one opponent was void.

Perhaps an even more cogent reason for opening a diamond instead of a heart was that West should have realized that the declarer was expecting and, thus, was prepared for a heart lead. The simplest sort of strategy would dictate a "double-cross" on West's part.

As to whether South should have bid the grand slam or been content with a small slam, this depended entirely on his estimate of West as a player. Apparently he appraised West correctly in figuring that the opening lead would be a heart rather than a diamond.

Write your bridge troubles and problems to Ely Culbertson, care of this paper, inclosing a self-addressed, stamped envelope.

Yule Spirit Remains Same Through Ages

BY GLADYS HUNTINGTON BEVANS

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One of the things I like best about Christmas is that it just doesn't know that this is a "rapidly changing world," a world of "flux and uncertainty and insecurity," as we're having drummed into our heads all the time.

Sometimes I wonder if this old world of ours is quite as marked by uncertainty as we're inclined to think and led to believe, because there are so many things in it that don't change; so many things in life that seem so enduring, so solid, so reassuring under all the movement we see; things that I believe will never be stamped out, like love [of all kinds—love of man for woman, love of mother for child, love of one's fellow man, love of music, love of beauty] and certain other wellsprings of human action.

Some of the new forms of government in other parts of the world have tried to do it; tried to deny human nature but have found, not at first, but after a period of years, that it was too strong for them after all; that there are fundamental urges and aims that do not change.

Well, as I was saying, one of the things I like about Christmas is that it comes serenely in and takes possession of us all, and is sublimely unconscious of the fact that this is a "changing world," a "materialistic civilization," a "mechanistic era."

And Christmas is so comfortably stable. It always swings around—not just the actual date, of course, but the whole tide of Christmas feeling.

Another thing I like is that it's so genuine. O, to be sure, a few people are superficial about it, giving for show or "exchanging" gifts; but most Christmas doing and giving and celebrating is spontaneous and warm and real.

And another thing I like about Christmas is that it's no respecter of persons. It's quite a leveler. The sophisticated, the hard boiled, the unsentimental, the worldly—Christmas lays them all low. They can't hold out against it. People simply do succumb to the Christmas spirit.

But, next to the fact that Christmas is so comfortingly stable, the thing I like best is that it is such wonderful publicity for the home, that little institution that we were told was fast breaking up and going into the discard, or on the rocks! I like the way Christmas denies that.

And last, what I like about Christmas is that, while the origin is so simple, so humble, it is so big, so pervasive. Haven't you felt the spreading glow of Christmas all these weeks, and can't you hear all the world's Christmas bells that are ringing far and near today?

Perhaps we don't need to be so worried over the world our children are to enter later on. It can't be quite such a shifting world if it can give itself, as it has for so many centuries, so fully to Christmas and the Christmas spirit.

The season's greeting of this department is "The Mothers' and Fathers' Litany," specially printed. In requesting it please do not enclose envelope—just the necessary postage. Address Mrs. Gladys Bevans, The Chicago Tribune, Chicago, Ill.

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Sigma Lambda Phi.

The Gamma chapter of Sigma Lambda Phi is having a Christmas party at the home of Mrs. Herbert Schneider tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock.

"When Chicago Was Young" on Bill Tomorrow

"When Chicago Was Young," by Alice Gerstenberg and Herma Clark, will open a professional engagement at the Studebaker theater tomorrow evening. This romance of early Chicago, which ran for three weeks of benefit performances in 1932, will be revived with the support of civic groups and women's clubs whose charities will participate in the proceeds, according to Nathaniel Leverone, chairman of the committee sponsoring the production.

In many authentic costumes against historic backgrounds will appear such figures as Abraham Lincoln, "Long John" Wentworth, George M. Pullman, Marshall Field at 22, John Crerar, and Mrs. William Blair.

Mrs. William J. Chalmers will hear the name of her father, the late Allan Pinkerton, mentioned in the first act. Carter H. Harrison will see his father, Carter Harrison I., portrayed at the Palmer ball of 1893, and Potter Palmer Jr. will see his mother represented as hostess. In the ball scene in the third act Mrs. Frank G. Logan will make an entrance in the same gown of gossamer lace she wore as a girl to this historic ball for the Spanish Infanta.

MOTION PICTURES MISCELLANEOUS

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Today—10 a. m.—Holiday Schedule
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ANNA MAY WONG (daring, spy of the tongs)
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Paramount's vicious drama
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SOUTH SIDE.

TIVOLI 63rd & Cottage Grove — Op. 12:30—Lt. Sh. 10:20 HOLIDAY SCHEDULE
Myrna LOY Wm. POWELL DOUBLE WEDDING
A HURRICANE OF ADVENTURE!
"EBB TIDE"
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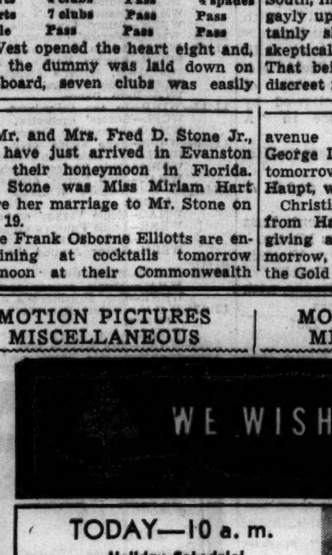
SOUTHTOWN 63rd & Cottage Grove — Open 1—Late Show 10:30 Hol. Schedule
ROBINSON THE LAST GANGSTER
PLUS POWER-YOUNG SECOND HONEYMOON STUART ERWIN CLAIRE TREVOR

TOWER 63rd-Stony—ERROL FLYNN "PERFECT SPECIMEN" plus PAUL MUNI, "LIFE OF EMILE ZOLA"

MARYLAND 63-Maryland—Hol. Sched. "Something to Sing About" & Ritz Bros., 'LIFE BEGINS IN COLLEGE'

WE WISH YOU HAPPINESS and a Merry Christmas
BALABAN & KATZ

TODAY—10 a. m.
Holiday Schedule!
Late Show 11:15 P. M.
Midwest Premiere!



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Yow-sah! And how-sah! It's a-wow-sah!
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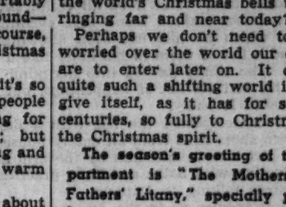
WALTER WINCHELL ★ BEN BERNIE
SIMONE SIMON She sings! SIMON She sings!
"LOVE AND HISSES"
with BERT LAHR JOAN DAVIS
Extra — FLOYD GIBBONS "Playing with Danger"
ROOSEVELT STATE NEAR WASHINGTON

TODAY—10 a. m. Holiday Schedule
"MORE GLORIOUS THAN YOU'VE DREAMED!"
Two hours of magnificent romance touched with tears and spiced with laughter . . . set amidst stirring spectacle and thrilling song!
IT TOPS EVEN "THE GREAT ZIEGFELD!"

"ROSALIE"
NELSON EDDY
ELEANOR POWELL
FRANK MORGAN
EDNA MAY OLIVER
Ray Bolger • Ilona Massey
Billy Gilbert • Reginald Owen
A Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer Picture
Extra! POPEYE "Let's Celebrake"
UNITED ARTISTS RANDOLPH NEAR DEARBORN
Late Feature 10:30 P. M.

ORIENTAL RANDOLPH NEAR STATE
TODAY—HOLIDAY SCHEDULE Doors Open 10 a. m.
Late Show 11:00 P. M.



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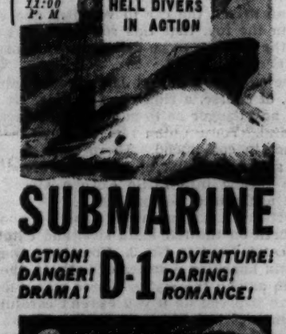

Holiday Schedule Open 10 a. m. Late Show 11 P. M.
HERE'S THE LAFF GIFT ALL CHICAGO ASKED SANTA FOR!
HELD FOR THE HOLIDAYS
5th LOOP WEEK
Irene DUNNE • Cary GRANT
"THE Awful Truth"
RALPH BELLAMY - ASTA, the pup
Extra—"The River" 1937's outstanding film

NORTH SIDE.

Last Times TODAY — Shirley Temple & Jean Crawford 'HEIDI' 'The Bride Wore Red'
NORSHORE FREE PARKING
EXTRA! A NEW POLICY! EVERY SUNDAY Variety Stage Show
Tomorrow - In Person FRANKIE MASTERS and his ORCHESTRA
HOLIDAY STAGE REVUE
PLUS SCREEN HIT! PAUL MUNI LIFE OF EMILE ZOLA

Uptown — TODAY—Open 1 P. M.
Myrna LOY Wm. POWELL DOUBLE WEDDING
2 BIG HITS!
EBB TIDE

RIVIERA Broadway-Lawrence Op. 1:30—Mickey Mouse
HELL-HOLE OF GANGLAND'S RATS
"ALCATRAZ ISLAND"
PLUS Bert Lahr, Jimmy Savo, Billy House Allen Brady, Mischa Auer, Louise Fazenda
"MERRY-GO-ROUND"

O. 1:30 P.M. M'ky Mouse — GRANADA
"THE LAST GANGSTER" — LORETTA YOUNG TYRONE POWER "SECOND HONEYMOON"
...ta last "Last Gangster" 11:40 P. M.

PANTHEON Shor.-Wilson—TWO HITS Shirley Temple, 'HEIDI' Robt. Montgomery, "Live, Love and Learn" Tomorrow—"ZOLA" & "Perfect Specimen"

CENTURY Clark-Diversey — 2 Hits—PAUL MUNI "The LIFE OF EMILE ZOLA" Plus Joan Blondell Errol Flynn Edw. E. Horton PERFECT SPECIMEN
NORTOWN Western-Devon
BELMONT Lincoln-Ashland
LAKESIDE 4755 Sheridan — Thrill-a-Minute Hit! "FEDERAL BULLETS" Plus SONJA HENIE
COVENT 2653 N. Clark — Tyrone Power 'THIN ICE'
CINE 2515 Devon—Sonja Henie, Tyrone Power, 'THIN ICE' & Irene Dunne in "HIGH, WIDE & HANDSOME"

EVANSTON.

VARSITY Open 1:30—TWO HITS! EDDIE CANTOR in "ALI BABA GOES TO TOWN" Bette Davis—Leslie Howard Olivia de Havilland 'IT'S LOVE I'M AFTER'
VALENCIA Open 1:30—Fay Wray, RICHARD ARLEN in "MURDER IN GREENWICH VILLAGE"
CORONET Open 1:30—Luise Rainer, Spencer Tracy "BIG CITY"

WEST SIDE.

Marbro — Come Early—Op. 1:30
Myrna LOY Wm. POWELL DOUBLE WEDDING
2 BIG HITS!
EBB TIDE

Open 12:45 2 Hits — PARADISE
PAUL MUNI ZOLA — ERROL FLYNN JOAN BLONDELL The Perfect Specimen
STATE Open 1:30 5814 Madison — James Cagney in "SOMETHING TO SING ABOUT"—& "Bulldog Drummond Comes Back"
SENATE Madison & Kedzie
MANOR North & Central—Open 1:30 'Drummond Comes Back'—Plus RITZ BROS. in "Life Begins in College"
Central Pk 5535 Roosevelt—Op. 12:30 "MADAME X"—Plus James Cagney in "Something to Sing About"

BERWYN
BERWYN Ridgeland-Cermak—Open 1:00 Zasu Pitts, '40 Naughty Girls' James Cagney, "Something to Sing About"

LA GRANGE
LA GRANGE Open 12:45—(Popeye) G. O'Brien, 'Windjammer' James Cagney, "Something to Sing About"
PARK Hillgrove & La Grange—Open 1:00 Laurel & Hardy-'Bonnie Scotland' Freddie Bartholomew, "Professional Soldier"

NORTHWEST SIDE.

HARDING Extra: Mickey Mouse Edw. G. Robinson 'LAST GANGSTER' Loretta Young Tyrone Power "Second Honeymoon"
CONGRESS Park Free—Jack Holt in 'TRAPPED BY G-MEN' Paul Muni in "LIFE OF EMILE ZOLA"
GATEWAY 5218 Lawrence—Errol Flynn, 'Perfect Specimen' Paul Muni in "LIFE OF EMILE ZOLA"
TERMINAL 5315 Lawrence—Cartoon 'Drummond Comes Back' James Cagney in 'Something to Sing About'

NORTHWEST SIDE.

CRYSTAL (Mickey Mouse)—Gladys George in "MADAME X" James Cagney in 'Something to Sing About'
BILTMORE (Mickey Mouse)—Geo. O'Brien, "Windjammer" James Cagney in 'Something to Sing About'
Will Rogers 5635 Belmont—Open 1 — Barbara Stanwyck | Herbert Marshall "Breakfast for 2"
BELPARK Cicero-Belm't. Op. 1:30 — Plus—"Murder in Greenwich Village"
ALBA Mat.—Ch. 1 & 2, 'S.O.S. Coast Guard'—Cartoon
LUNA June Travis in 'Over the Goal'—& Nino Martini, 'Music for Madame' Spencer Tracy in "BIG CITY" PLUS—"Wife, Doctor and Nurse"

RUN!

By Patricia Wentworth

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SYNOPSIS.

Delivering a new car to a customer James Elliot, lost in the fog, finds himself on some one's estate. Groping his way to the dark house he stumbles over a bicycle. The front door is ajar. Entering, his flashlight reveals a girl, who commands him to "run!" A shot whistles after them as they flee to hide in the hayloft. The girl tells James she was searching for a necklace her dying Aunt Clementa had told her was hidden in the house, called Rere place. The girl vanishes before James can learn more. At his cousin Daphne's party James meets the girl. She is Sally West, the sister of his college chum, Jocko West. She hints of danger to him—because of what he saw—her brother, and herself. Jackson, a rival salesman, takes credit for driving the car the night of the fog and is run over on the road and killed. Sally sees James. She is in fear of Ambrose Sylvester, the novelist, who is her guardian and was her aunt's trustee, also his wife, Hildegarde, and the latter's cousin, Henri Niemeyer, who wants to marry Sally. Jocko, after receiving a letter from his dying aunt, was pushed off a cliff. After the accident the letter is missing and Jocko cannot remember its contents. Sally and James fall in love, but she tells him it is too dangerous for them to meet. James follows Sally to a party given by Daphne. Later the guests assemble around her fireplace to tell ghost stories. Henri learns of James' interest in Sally.

INSTALMENT XXX.

A NEAR TRAGEDY.

The telephone bell whirred and James put the receiver to his ear and heard a man's voice very far away say "Hullo!"

James said "Is that Fieldover? Can I speak to Col. Pomeroy? Will you say it's about his car and the name is Elliot?"

There was a pause. He caught Miss Callender's interested eye. And then Col. Pomeroy was saying:

"Hullo, James!"

"It's about your car, sir."

"I'm not coming to town. You'll have to bring her down. Stay the night if you can."

"I don't think I can, sir. Did you send Larkin here with a message about my bringing her down?"

"Larkin? Certainly not! He's here."

"Did you send any one?"

"Of course not! Why should I? What are you driving at?"

"Some one came in this morning when I was out and left a message about my driving the car to Fieldover."

Col. Pomeroy became explosive.

"Pack of rubbish!" he said. "What are you talking about? Some one's been pulling your leg. Look out it isn't car thieves. . . . No, I shan't be coming down now, so I'd like her as soon as possible. And mind you come yourself? What about tomorrow?"

James said, "That'll be all right, sir," and hung up the receiver.

As James walked home that evening he thought about a number of things which he had not been allowing himself to think about all day. He had a list of them in his mind like a poster hanging in a badly lighted room. The simile flashed into his mind and out again, but it was an apt one. He had his list of happenings, but he wanted more light on them—he wanted it badly.

He contemplated the list with a dubious frown:

Two shots fired from an empty house in the dark of a foggy afternoon, and a girl who caught him by the arm and said "Run!"

Meeting with Sally, and Sally practically saying "Run!" again, and the Sylvesters talking to Daphne.

First inquiry as to the driver of the car.

Jackson butting in.

Jackson found dead, run over in a Surrey lane.

Sally's story about Aunt Clementa and a hidden something.

Sally's story about Aunt Clementa's letter to Jocko.

Sally's story about Jocko's accident and the disappearance of the letter.

The Sylvesters linked with these three stories.

Sally's ridiculous story of an engagement, or semi-engagement, to Henri Niemeyer.

Jocko's return. Jocko's intention of opening Rere place.

Daphne's party. Daphne's story about Giles Rere and the queen's necklace, leading up to an assertion that Rere place was haunted by a ghost who fired real or quasi-real bullets. Real enough, that is, to be picked up by Daphne and put into her bag, but unreal enough to have vanished an hour or two later when she wanted to convince a skeptical dinner party. And the skeptics included Ambrose and Hildegarde Sylvester and Henri Niemeyer.

Second inquiry as to who drove the car to Warnley, the inquiry purporting to come from Col. Pomeroy's chauffeur.

A queer list of items, and the last the queerest of all. The man who impersonated Larkin ran the risk of being exposed if he, James, had been in the shop instead of out with a car. On the other hand, if the fellow had watched him off the premises, there wouldn't have been any risk at all, so that was probably what had been done. There emerged from this incident the conviction that some one was no longer certain that it was Jackson who had driven the car to Warnley and subsequently blundered into Rere place in the fog, that this some one was deeply interested in ascertaining when the car was to be delivered, and insuring that the same driver would be in charge. Why?

The only answer that James could think of was a most unpleasant one. It was, of course, a ridiculous answer. It was as senseless to suppose himself in any danger as to suppose that Jackson's death had been other than accidental. You couldn't really believe that some one was trying to murder you—not in cold blood. There were murders in the newspapers, but you didn't somehow think of being murdered yourself.

He turned into Little Corbyn street, walked half way down it, and turned again into Corbyn mews.

Gertrude Lushington had chosen a good time to be away. Her flat was the fourth on the left hand side, and extensive and messy alterations were being carried out in No. 3. Somebody was building out a bathroom at the back and knocking a series of holes in the roof with a view to letting windows in among the slates. There was a lot of scaffolding, and things lying about to trip you up if you weren't careful in the dark.

James picked his way warily. There seemed to be more scaffolding than usual. It seemed to run right over onto what he was convinced was Gertrude's roof. He had actually to duck under the planks before he could reach his door.

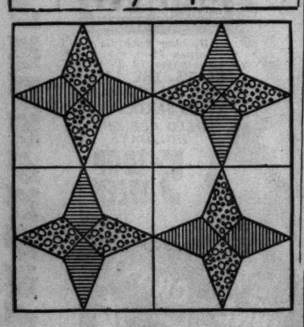
He ducked, and immediately it seemed to him that the roof fell. James had said that he was careful, but no amount of being careful could have saved him. It was something else, something much more primitive and instinctive, which saved him. He ducked under the plank and at once, and without conscious thought, jerked his head and his whole body backwards. His forward movement was not only checked, but vehemently reversed. There was a crash and a cloud of dust. Something struck him on the shoulder. He went on going back until he was clear of the scaffolding, then he straightened up.

What had made him back he didn't know. Something had given him an order and he had obeyed without knowing what it was. If he hadn't obeyed, or if he had hesitated, whatever it was that had sounded like a hundred bricks and had raised such an overpowering dust would have fallen on his head and he would almost certainly by now have been the late James Elliot. It was quite a sobering thought. He stood there and considered it. The thing had fallen as he ducked to avoid the scaffolding. He oughtn't to have had to avoid the scaffolding. It had no business where he must duck under it in order to reach Gertrude's front door.

He looked up in a very doubting mind and for an unconvincing instant he thought something moved where the black roof ridge cut the sky. There was so little light that he could never be sure that he had seen anything. He decided that it would be a good plan to get under cover and that if he kept well away to the right he could reach the door without bumping into anywhere else. If some one had been placing booby traps for him, they would be laid with an eye to his arriving from the left, since the mews entrance was on that side. It was improbable that there would be more than one booby trap, but he felt like being careful.

[Continued Monday.]

Today's Quilt



Star Kites.

Patterns of this design are 5 cents, stamps or coin. Address Nancy Cabot, Chicago Tribune, or call at one of the Tribune Public Service offices, 1 South Dearborn street or Tribune Tower.

BY NANCY CABOT.

"Star Kites" is one of those quilts especially suitable for a child's room. The old superstition regarding this pieced block is that the child sleeping under a "Star Kite" coverlet would be insured a calm and happy journey to slumberland. Print materials are used to make this pattern, and no two patterns need be of the same color or material. This is an ideal pattern in which to utilize all the patches in the scrapbag. Finished squares measure 14 inches, and the entire quilt is composed of 42 blocks and bound with a ½ inch bias binding.

Tom and Jerry.

It has been the custom of the Drake hotel to give a children's party every year the day after Christmas, but this year the management has decided to give a Tom and Jerry party for the grownups instead. The party will be held in the International club tomorrow morning.

Every Kitchen a Tantalizing Place Today!

Monday's Menu

BREAKFAST
Pineapple Juice
Oatmeal
French Toast
Milk or Coffee

LUNCH
Spinach Ring
with Creamed Carrots Center
Crisp Bacon
Toasted Whole Wheat Rolls
Baker Chocolate Rice Pudding
Milk or Tea

DINNER
Broiled Halibut Steak
Green Pepper and Celery Salad
Baked Peeled Potatoes
Buttered Beets
Apricots in Hard Meringue Shells
Coffee

BY MARY MEADE.

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Christmas bells, Christmas trees,
Christmas odors on the breeze—

The Christmas odors in the air today are the mingled essences of roasting turkey, baking onions, steaming puddings, smoking hot pies. From thousands and thousands of homes float the same nostalgia—bringing perfumes, fraternal bonds which unite your house and my house with all the other houses and those whom they shelter.

In your house and in my house today family ties will be drawn closer over the laden table and around the burning yule logs. From your windows and my windows tonight will shine the lights of Christmas trees.

Do you know the legend of the Christmas tree? It is a story which has been told for centuries. On the night when Christ was born in Bethlehem according to this tale all the trees in the forest nearby dropped their coatings of ice and snow, blossomed and bore fruit as though awakened by the soft air of spring and summer.

Ever since the 10th century, when this story first was told, the evergreen tree has been decorated with berries and fruit, symbolical of the gladness in the forests at the birth of Christ.

My wish for you and your household is a happy Christmas today and a merry holiday season. May your dinner be most excellent, but heaven forbid that any one partake so heartily of it that bodily discomfort prevents enjoyment of family companionship afterward.

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Radio Network Bars Gov. Earle and Envoy Wang

New York, Dec. 24.—[Special]—Gov. George H. Earle of Pennsylvania and C. T. Wang, Chinese ambassador to the United States, have been barred from speaking on a commercial broadcast over WJZ and a National Broadcasting company network Sunday, it was reported today.

Hirosi Saito, Japanese ambassador, was heard on the program last Sunday, and the broadcast was followed by widespread criticism.

It is the policy of the company, NBC officials said, not to permit the discussion of controversial issues on commercially sponsored radio time. Topics slated for discussion by the ambassador and the governor both, it was said, were controversial. The subjects were not disclosed. NBC officials said agents for the program had been running speakers in on its programs without consulting the broadcasting company and that there was a showdown on the issue yesterday.

TODAY'S BROADCASTS FROM CHICAGO STATIONS

[CENTRAL STANDARD TIME.]
ON SHORT WAVES.

Paris—8:30 a. m.—"Merry Christmas," a radio sketch. TPA2, 19.6 m., 15.24 meg.
Tokio—3:45 p. m.—National program. JZJ, 25.4 m., 11.80 meg.; JZI, 31.4 m., 9.53 meg.
Budapest—5:00 p. m.—"Christmas Songs." HAT4, 32.8 m., 9.12 meg.
London—6:00 p. m.—"Welcome Yule." GSB, 31.5 m., 9.51 meg.; GSD, 25.5 m., 11.75 meg.; GSC, 31.3 m., 9.58 meg.
Berlin—6:30 p. m.—Christmas Bells. DJD, 25.4 m., 11.77 meg.
Rome—6:35 p. m.—"Christmas, 1937." A musical program. 2RO, 31.1 m., 9.69 meg.
London—6:55 p. m.—"Home, Sweet Home." GSB, 31.5 m., 9.51 meg.; GSD, 25.5 m., 11.75 meg.; GSC, 31.3 m., 9.58 meg.
Berlin—7:00 p. m.—Old Christmas Carols. DJD, 25.4 m., 11.77 meg.
London—8:00 p. m.—The BBC Military Band. GSD, 25.5 m., 11.75 meg.; GSC, 31.3 m., 9.58 meg.; GSB, 31.5 m., 9.51 meg.
Berlin—8:15 p. m.—Hansel and Gretel. DJD, 25.4 m., 11.77 meg.
London—8:30 p. m.—"BBC Ballroom, 1909." GSD, 25.5 m., 11.75 meg.; GSC, 31.3 m., 9.58 meg.; GSB, 31.5 m., 9.51 meg.
Berlin—9:30 p. m.—Close of Christmas Day. DJD, 25.4 m., 11.77 meg.

CHICAGO WAVE LENGTHS.

W-G-N—720	WAAF—920	WWAE—1300	
WIND—560	WCFL—970	WSBC—1210	
WMAQ—670	WMBI—1080	WBES—1380	
WBBM—770	WCBD—1080	WHFC—1420	
WENR—870	WJJD—1120	WHIP—1480	
WLS—870			

A. M.
7:00—W-G-N—California Sunshine.
WMAQ—Suburban hour.
WLS—Julian Bentley.
WBBM—Musical Clock.
7:15—WLS—Evelyn and Hilltoppers.
7:30—W-G-N—The Music Box.
WLS—Dr. Holland.
WCFL—Leibert ensemble.
7:45—WLS—Jolly Joe's Pet Pals.
WCFL—Kidoodlers.
WJJD—Kinney's Hawaiians.
8:00—W-G-N—Children's Xmas Story and Music.
WLS—Lulu Belle.
WMAQ—Your Neighbor.
WCFL—Breakfast club.
8:15—WLS—Julian Bentley.
8:30—W-G-N—Good Morning program.
WMAQ—Whistler and His Dog.
WLS—Old Kitchen Kettle.
8:45—WLS—Morning Minstrels.
WMAQ—Aunt Jemima.
9:00—W-G-N—Christmas message from King George VI. of England [MBS]. Also WLS, WCFL, WMAQ, WBBM.
WJJD—Bosworth program.
WAAF—Xmas Tree.
9:15—WCFL—Singers.
WBBM—Pantry Party.
WMAQ—Morning Greetings.
9:30—W-G-N—Get Thin to Music.
WCFL—Manhatters.
WMAQ—"The Gift of the Magi."
WIND—Eb and Zeb.
9:45—W-G-N—Xmas Mass—St. Augustine church, Des Moines, Ia. [MBS].
WCFL—Bittersweet Melodies.
WJJD—Sterling Young's orchestra.
WLS—Julian Bentley.
WIND—Remote Control.
10:00—WCFL—Variety Show.
WBBM—Pappy Cheshire.
WMAQ—A Cappella Choir.
WJJD—Sons of the Pioneers.
10:15—WJJD—Harry Zimmerman.
WCFL—Yuletide.
WIND—Sons of Pioneers.
10:30—W-G-N—Christmas Carols.
WCFL—Peekers in the Pantry.
WJJD—Christmas Carol.
WMAQ—Christmas in a Migratory Camp.
10:45—WAAF—Foolish Questions.
11:00—WMAQ—Golden Strings.
WCFL—Morning Musical.
11:15—WLS—Chuck, Ray, and Christine.
WBBM—Rt. Rev. Geo. Craig Stewart.
WMBI—Bible Study.
WIND—20th Century Serenade.
11:30—W-G-N—Quin Ryan's News Commentary.
WCFL—Xmas Capers.
WLS—Organ Moods.
WBBM—Haile Selassie.
11:45—W-G-N—Melody Time.
WLS—Markets.
WIND—Harry Zimmerman.
Noon—W-G-N—Man on State Street.
WLS—Service Time.
WHIP—Southtown Church hour.
WCFL—Broadcast from Vatican.
WBBM—Cardinal Mundelein.
P. M.
12:15—W-G-N—Melody Time.
WBBM—Organist.
WJJD—Russian Gospel choir.
12:30—W-G-N—Alice Blue, pianist.
WIND—On the March.
WLS—Markets.
WMAQ—Club Matinée.
WBBM—Buffalo Presents.
12:40—WMAQ—Bob Hawk—Fun Quiz.
12:45—W-G-N—Blackstone Concert trio.
12:55—WMAQ—Opera—Romeo and Juliet.
1:00—W-G-N—Gala Christmas party [MBS].
WJJD—Midday Roundup.
WCFL—Christmas on a Battleship.
1:15—WBBM—Herbert Foote.
1:30—WBBM—Polish Christmas.
WCFL—Christmas Masquerade.
WIND—Jugoslav Christmas.
1:45—WJJD—Happy Harmonies.
2:00—W-G-N—Norman Brokenshire Varieties [MBS].
WLS—Homemakers' hour.
WCFL—Mrs. Santa Claus.
WBBM—Dictators.
WJJD—Warren Brown, sports.
2:15—WBBM—Meet the Missus.
2:30—WAAF—Red Hot and Low Down.
WLS—Merry-Go-Round.
WHIP—German hour.
WBBM—Your Neighbor and Mine.
2:45—WBBM—Coronation Choir.
3:00—W-G-N—"Christmas Greetings." Margery Graham and organ.
WENR—Miles of Merry Christmas.
3:30—W-G-N—Afternoon Serenade.
WHIP—Geraldine Busch.
WENR—Special Delivery.
WBBM—Hollywood Hotel.
WCFL—Youth 'Round the World.
3:45—WCFL—Maureen Mac.
4:00—W-G-N—"Xmas Greetings." Speakers and Len Salvo, organist.
WCFL—Make-Believe Nite club.
WBBM—Christmas Carols.
WENR—Music for Moderns.
WAAF—Sport Shorts.
WJJD—Cumberland Ridge Runners.
4:15—WMAQ—Orchestra.
4:30—W-G-N—Sammy Kaye's orch. [MBS].
WMAQ—Kaltenmeyer's Kindergarten.
WENR—Orchestra.
4:45—WIND—Once Upon a Time.
WBBM—Holy Day and Holiday.
5:00—W-G-N—Len Salvo, organist [MBS].
WMAQ—El Chico Revue.
WIND—Stamp Man.
5:15—W-G-N—Alice Blue [MBS].
WIND—Sons of Pioneers.
WBBM—Lee Francis.
5:30—W-G-N—Afternoon Serenade.
WIND—Bill, Mac, and Jimmie.
WCFL—Musical Varieties.
WBBM—Man on the Street.
5:45—W-G-N—Red Grange, Sport Gossip.
WBBM—Ben Fields' orchestra.
WIND—Musical Interlude.
WMAQ—Dr. Walter Van Kirk.
6:00—W-G-N—Palmer House Concert orchestra [MBS].
WBBM—Don Hancock.
WMAQ—Louis Panico's orchestra.
WIND—German hour.
WENR—Message of Israel.
6:15—W-G-N—Dick Stabile's orch. [MBS].
WBBM—Melodies of Yesterday.
WCFL—Al Roth's orchestra.
6:30—W-G-N—Blackstone Concert Trio.
WMAQ—Uncle Jim's Question Bee.
WBBM—Band.
WCFL—Tenpin Tattler.
WENR—Eddie Varzos' orchestra.
6:45—W-G-N—Rube Appleberry.
WCFL—Freddie Martin's orchestra.
7:00—W-G-N—Tomorrow's Tribune.
WMAQ—Robert L. Ripley.
WBBM—Your Unseen Friend.
WLS—Meet the Folks.
WCFL—Don Norman.
7:07—W-G-N—Highlights of Sports.
7:15—W-G-N—Blackstone Concert Trio.
WIND—Colonial Ensemble.
WCFL—Streamline Melodies.
7:30—W-G-N—Shep Field's orchestra.
WLS—Barn Dance, with Lulu Belle.
WMAQ—Jack Haley.
WBBM—Johnny Presents.
8:00—W-G-N—Albert Eustace Haydon, "Gods of Mankind."
WBBM—Professor Quiz.
WLS—Barn Dance.
WMAQ—Headlines of 1937.
8:15—W-G-N—Kay Kyser's orchestra.
WCFL—Herr Louie.
8:30—WCFL—Light Classics.
WBBM—Saturday Nite Serenade.
8:45—W-G-N—Ennio Bolognini and Concert Gypsy orchestra.
9:00—W-G-N—Morton Downey [MBS].
WBBM—Your Hit Parade.
WLS—Barnyard Jamboree.
WMAQ—Symphony orchestra.
9:15—WIND—Walkathon.
9:30—W-G-N—Leighton Noble's orchestra [MBS].
WLS—Home Town Memories.
9:45—WBBM—George Jessel.
WIND—Russ Hodges' review.
10:00—W-G-N—"Night Skies," Oliver Justin Lee.
WLS—Tall Story club.
WBBM—Buddy Rogers.
10:15—W-G-N—Bill Carlsen's orchestra.
10:30—W-G-N—Jurgen's orchestra.
WLS—Fireside Party.
WCFL—Jimmy Dorsey's orchestra.
WMAQ—Maurie Stein's orchestra.
WBBM—Benny Goodman's orchestra.
10:45—WMAQ—Varzos' orchestra.
11:00—W-G-N—Isham Jones' orch. [MBS].
WBBM—Sammy Kaye's orchestra.
WMAQ—M. Weber's orchestra.
WCFL—Eddie Rogers' orchestra.
WLS—Barn Dance.
11:15—WIND—In the Crimelight.
WCFL—Rogers' orchestra.
WMAQ—Streamline Revue.
11:30—W-G-N—Shep Fields' orch. [MBS].
WCFL—Joe Reichman's orchestra.
WBBM—Orrin Tucker's orchestra.
WMAQ—Stan Norris' orchestra.
Midnight—W-G-N—Griff Williams' orchestra [MBS].
WMAQ—Eddie Varzos' orchestra.
WENR—Louis Panico's orchestra.
WIND—Night Watch.
WBBM—Swing Around the Town.
A. M.
12:30—W-G-N—Harry Owens' orch. [MBS].
WMAQ—King's Jesters orchestra.
WENR—Geo. Hesberger's orchestra.
12:45—W-G-N—Everett Hoaglund's orchestra [MBS].
WMAQ—Stan Norris' orchestra.
1:00—W-G-N—Kay Kyser's orch. [MBS].
1:30—W-G-N—Herbie Kaye's orchestra.

Today's Features

ON W-G-N.

Christmas features on W-G-N may be found elsewhere on this page. In addition to numerous holiday features W-G-N will present an array of popular dance orchestras from 8:15 p. m. to 2 a. m., with an interlude at 10 p. m. when Prof. Oliver Justin Lee of Northwestern university will present his "Night Skies" program.

Griff Williams.

The dance music will be provided by the orchestras of Kay Kyser, Ennio Bolognini, Herbie Kay, Leighton Noble, Bill Carlsen, Dick Jurgens, Isham Jones, Shep Fields, Griff Williams, Harry Owens and Everett Hoaglund. Red Grange's football program with dope on the East-West game and the Bowl classics and his selections will be presented at 5:45 p. m. and the Reading of THE SUNDAY TRIBUNE and Quin Ryan's Highlights in Sport at 7 o'clock.

Other features:

A. M.
7—California Sunshine.
9:30—Get Thin to Music with Wallace.
11:30—The Christmas News, with Quin Ryan.
Noon—Bob Elson on State street.
P. M.
6:45—Rube Appleberry.
8—Prof. Albert Eustace Hayden, U. of C., "Gods of Mankind."

ON OTHER STATIONS.

P. M.
12:55—WMAQ—Metropolitan Opera: "Romeo and Juliet" with Richard Crooks, Bidu Sayao.
3—WBBM—Hollywood Hotel with Tommy Kelly and Jackie Moran presenting preview of "Tom Sawyer," followed by Lionel Barrymore in "A Christmas Carol."
4:30—WMAQ — Kaltenmeyer's Kindergarten.
7—WMAQ—Robert Ripley and B. A. Rolfe's music.
7:30—WBBM—Johnny presents Russ Morgan and Charles Martin.
7:30—WMAQ—Jack Haley, Virginia Verill and Wendy Barrie.
8—WLS—National Barn Dance, with Dunbar Bell Ringers.
8—WMAQ—Headlines of 1937.
8—WBBM—Prof. Quiz.
8:30—WBBM—Saturday Night Serenade.
9—WMAQ, WCFL—NBC Symphony with Arturo Toscanini.
9—WBBM—Your Hit Parade, with Leo Reisman.
10—WBBM — Buddy Rogers music from the College Inn.

Special Yule Numbers Pack Radio Listings

BY LARRY WOLTERS.

Starting with special church broadcasts long before dawn today and concluding tonight with Arturo Toscanini conducting for the first time the new NBC Symphony orchestra, Christmas day will be filled with scores of special programs.

King George's Christmas message to the British empire will be aired at 9 a. m. with W-G-N, WMAQ, WBBM, WLS and WCFL carrying it locally. Haile Selassie, former emperor of Ethiopia, will send greetings to America at 11:30 a. m. via WBBM.

Bishop George Craig Stewart is to deliver his Christmas message by radio at 11:15 a. m. on WBBM and the same station will transmit pontifical high mass from Holy Name cathedral with Cardinal Mundelein as celebrant at noon.

Among the special broadcasts scheduled for today are:

4 a. m.—WGES—Services from Our Lady of Sorrows Catholic church.

5:30—WMAQ—Trinity Lutheran church services.

6—WCFL—Christmas bells.

6:30—WLS—Kris Kringle Crusaders.

7:30—W-G-N—Music Box with Bob Hawk featuring Christmas music in six languages.

9:15—WCFL—Madrigal Singers.

9:30—WHIP—Solemn high mass from St. Adalbert's Polish Catholic church.

9:30—WJJD—Story Book Lane with Mary Lou Laing telling story of Charles Dickens' life.

9:30—WMAQ—O. Henry's "The Gift of the Magi."

9:45—W-G-N—Christmas mass—St. Augustine's church, Des Moines.

10—WCFL—Yuletide Variety show.

10—WMAQ—Noble Cain's Choir in Christmas music.

10:30—WJJD—Dickens' "A Christmas Carol."

10:30—W-G-N—Carol program by Chicago Civic Choral society directed by William F. Mullen in the "Bethlehem Oratorio."

10:30—WMAQ—Christmas in a California migratory camp.

11—WMAQ—Christmas Golden Strings.

12—WCFL—Sistine Chapel choir from Vatican directed by Don Lorenzo Perosi.

12:15 p. m.—WJJD—Russian Gospel Choir.

12:55—WMAQ—Opera "Romeo and Juliet," with Richard Crooks and Bidu Sayao.

1—W-G-N—Christmas musicale with carols of all nations, Attilio Baggiore, tenor, singing "Panis Angelicus" and "Ave Maria"; Gunther Deckert, Phylliss Norton, Wayne Van Dynem, Kirk Douglas, the Three Graces, the Grenadiers and Bob Trendler's orchestra.

1—WCFL—Christmas on the battleship U. S. S. Pennsylvania.

1:30—WBBM—Polish Christmas music.

2—WCFL—At Home with Mr. and Mrs. Santa Claus — Fran Allison, Clark Dennis, Gale Page, Three Romeos and Ray Shield's music.

3—WENR—12,000 miles of Merry Christmas linking Honolulu, Paris and Alaska.

4—W-G-N—"The Christmas Message"—Addresses by representative speakers of Catholic, Protestant and Jewish comunions.

4—WBBM—Dickens' "A Christmas Carol" with Lionel Barrymore.

5:35—WENR—Christmas Day handicap from Santa Anita track.

8—WLS—National Barn Dance Christmas party with Dunbar Bell Ringers as guests.

9—W-G-N—Christmas music program with Morton Downey, William Stoess' orchestra, De Vore Sisters and Deon Craddock.

9—WMAQ-WCFL—The NBC Symphony orchestra directed by Arturo Toscanini gives Christmas concert.

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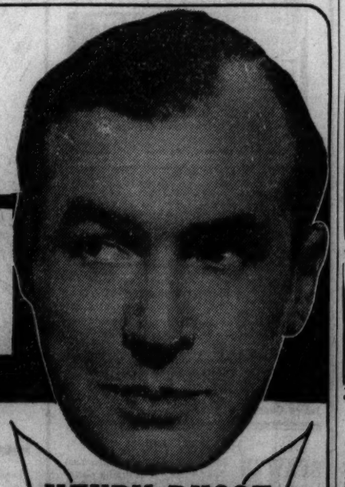
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ALABAMA GETS VALUABLE GIFT —ITS CAPTAIN

Monsky to Perform Against Bears.

Pasadena, Cal., Dec. 24.—[Special.]—Le Roy Monsky, captain and star guard of the University of Alabama's undefeated football team, will play in the annual Rose Bowl game here New Year's day when the Crimson Tide meets the University of California's unbeaten Golden Bears. This announcement was made today by Coach Frank Thomas when the Alabama squad of 40 players arrived for the intersectional game.

LeRoy Monsky.

The team had left Tuscaloosa in excellent condition, but in a brief workout on a slippery field at San Antonio, Tex., Wednesday, Monsky collided with Lou Bostick, a teammate, in a head-on crash and suffered such a deep wound above his eye that five stitches were required to close it. Thomas today said that the big Alabama leader will be available for the Rose Bowl contest, but will not indulge in heavy drill.

Alabama Is Determined.

Coach Thomas and his squad made plain their determination to win when they stepped off their special train today, their spirit overshadowing the noisy welcome given them. Alabama appreciated the ovation, but insisted it will be more grateful for the cheers that come to the winner of the Rose Bowl battle, cheers which Alabama has heard in three of its other four appearances in the post-season argument. Alabama was tied by Stanford on the other occasion, but erased the deadlock with a subsequent victory over the Redskins.

The 200 fans who accompanied the team on its trip west were as unanimous as the players in their outlook for the game, although many of them admitted that Alabama is too light a team to stand off the power of California, which romped through the Pacific coast season with a scoreless tie with Washington the only blemish on its record. The Alabamans hope, however, that a strong supply of reserves will be enough to halt the Bears.

California Gets Holiday.

While Alabama was arriving, the California squad continued its final preparations at Berkeley, Coach Stub Allison declaring a holiday until next Monday after a workout in which the Bears stressed offense in spite of a series of showers which made the field somewhat slippery. Allison's chief fear in the New Year's day game is the Tide's passing attack. The Bears have proved weak against passes. Thus, he said, pass defense will constitute the burden of next week's workouts.

RAIN HINDERS EAST

San Francisco, Cal., Dec. 24.—(AP)—Eastern All Stars worked out in the rain today but western players found sunshine for their drill as the two squads continued practice for the annual charity football game here New Year's day.

The eastern boys, training at Berkeley, were washed out of their afternoon session after a soaking this morning. At Stanford university, thirty miles south, the westerners went through a double workout under clear skies.

For three-quarters of an hour the easterners practiced outdoors. The routine consisted largely of calling signals and dummy scrimmage. Coach Andy Kerr was enthusiastic over the performance of Corby Davis, Indiana full back.

L. S. U. SCRIMMAGES

Baton Rouge, La., Dec. 24.—(AP)—Lousiana State's football players went through a brief scrimmage today against Santa Clara plays in preparation for the Sugar Bowl game New Year's day.

Jabbo Stell, star half back who had been out because of muscle soreness, took part in the practice. The workout was short for two reasons. The first was that the Tiger third stringers have been taking heavy punishment in scrimmaging with the regulars all week. The second was that squad members were eager to get to the Christmas party the athletic department held for the Tigers tonight.

John Turrill, Old Time Sports Manager, Dies

Clinton, Ia., Dec. 24.—[Special.]—John F. Turrill, 73, who served many years ago as manager of the Chicago Athletic association teams in the era when club competition represented the high spot in amateur athletics, died here today after a long illness. Funeral services will be held Monday afternoon.

THE GUMPS—SEASON'S GREETINGS!

In the Wake of the News

And a Happy New Year.

As glad hearts meet this Christmas-tide
To join in happy chorus,
You friends throughout the country-side
In fancy stand before us.

Your kindly aid throughout the year
Has made our burden lighter,
The warming glow of Yuletime cheer
Through fellowship burns brighter.

And so, to you who make the Wake
And all of you who read it,
These lines sincerest greetings take—
And for your help—we NEED it.

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We Can't Be Entirely Merry.

As this new Christmas dawns, the first since his passing, we who knew him best find our thoughts turning, with a poignancy which even the cheer of the season cannot wholly assuage, to Harvey T. Woodruff, who conducted this column for nearly two decades. Our ambition is to produce from time to time in the years to come a column comparable in interest and effectiveness to the ones he placed before you every morning of the year. —Arch Ward.

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Christmas Stands for—

Smuggling in children's presents and playing with them while kids are asleep . . . Tom and Jerry . . . holly wreaths . . . Christmas swapping . . . carols . . . outdoor Christmas trees . . . turkey an' all the trimmin's . . . look out for the mistletoe . . . furs for ma an' queer socks and ties for pa . . . Cheerio and Merry Christmas! —M. G. B.

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Christ, Our King.

The star of Bethlehem shone bright,
And guided the shepherds on their way
To the lonely stable where Christ was born
And lay in the manger on that Christmas day;
He who came to save us from sin
That God's chosen children we might be,
And live happily with Him
Forever through eternity;
Today the Spirit of Peace rings out
While angels' voices joyously sing,
"All praise to Thee, our blessed lord,
"Hallelujah! To Christ our King."
—Will J. Moore.

A Star Is Born.

A star is born
This holy morn
In far off Bethlehem,
O'er eastern hills
Its beauty thrills,
It crowns Night's diadem.

A star is born
This silent morn
Within each living breast,
Down all the years
It calms our fears
And leads the way to rest.

O, silent night,
O, holy night,
Calm and still and brave,
You light the way
Through vistas gray
From cradle to the grave.
—Jazbo of Old Dubuque.

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That Old Spirit.

I have heard a number of friends remark that they didn't care for liquor, but would take a drink at this season of the year to be sociable. The other night I took the timid girl friend to a party and by the time I was ready to leave she was so sociable we had to pull her out from under the table. —Bob Namtrah.

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The Wake Extends *Best Wishes, Friends.*

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Getting to the Bottom.

Among the last minute shoppers was a Scotchman who entered a 5 and 10 cent store and asked a floorwalker, "Pray, sir, and where is the bargain basement?"

—Butch-Smutch.

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A Christmas Card.

[To My Creditors.]

Although honest and meek as a dove,
My pockets are empty and flat,
I have nothing to send you but love
And damn mighty little of that.
—William Owen.

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Christmas Couplet.

The old maid stood under the mistletoe
And stood, and stood, and stood.
—Virginny.

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Do You Remember 'Way Back When:

Social decrees demanded the making of New Year's calls and sometimes eight or nine cutters would be lined up in front of the home of an especially popular girl?

—Ann Teke.

Ten Years Ago Today—The New York Rangers defeated the Chicago Blackhawks, 2 to 0. . . . The Eastern All-Stars were picked to defeat the Western All-Stars in San Francisco. . . . The Barrett A. C. Skaters won the 50th ward annual skating meet at Winnemac park. . . . The Washington Palaces defeated the Chicago Bruins, 24 to 17, in a professional basketball game.

STAGG OPPOSES DRASTIC CHANGE IN COLLEGE RULES

Dallas, Tex., Dec. 24.—(AP)—Amos Alonzo Stagg, 75, dean of the football coaching profession today said he sees no need for making drastic changes in the college football rules.

He cited heavy score victories for Harvard and Yale over Princeton and for Princeton over Navy without additional assistance from the rules makers.

Stagg, formerly head football coach at the University of Chicago and now coach at the College of the Pacific at Stockton, Cal., is stopping here en route to the national collegiate athletic association's winter meeting in New Orleans next week. He also will attend the annual meeting of the national football rules committee at Edgewater Park, Miss., Jan. 3 and 4.

MARQUETTE FIVE SEEKS REVENGE IN IOWA BATTLE

Milwaukee, Wis., Dec. 24.—[Special.]—Concluding an arduous holiday campaign, the Marquette university basketball team will meet the University of Iowa quintet in the Hilltop gymnasium tomorrow night.

Marquette has several old scores to settle with the Hawkeyes, but is especially hopeful of atoning for last year's 37 to 34 setback.

The Hilltoppers are in good shape for the game. Paul Sokody, the high scoring Elgin, Ill., veteran, probably will be moved back to center after a term at forward while there were injuries on the squad. Lineups:

MARQUETTE		IOWA
Adams	F	Johnson (C.)
Graf	F	Stephens
Sokody	C	Drees
Healk	G	Suessens
Quabius	G	Kinnick

PERRY AND VINES PLAN NEW SERIES OF 75 MATCHES

Fred Perry and Ellsworth Vines will play another series of professional tennis matches during a nationwide tour beginning next month and continuing until early in June. Plans for the trip were outlined last night by Jack Harris, promoter of the project.

The series will open at Los Angeles on Jan. 11 and will include two matches in Chicago on April 7 and 8. The players will take part in seventy-five engagements, stopping at most of the larger cities and many relatively small towns.

In addition to Vines and Perry, the troupe will include Berkeley Bell and Walter Senior. Bell and Senior will open each program with a singles match, then will come the Perry-Vines engagement, after which Bell will team up with Perry and Senior with Vines for the doubles competition.

On this tour, the professional tennis players will attempt to follow the example of the pro golfers in building up interest in the game by holding free classes of instruction for young players in towns along the route.

This is the second consecutive year that Perry and Vines have opposed each other on the tour. It is understood that one of them will be picked as an opponent for Don Budge in the event the amateur champion should decide to become a professional at the end of the 1938 season.

West Virginia Gets Down to Work; Faces Texas Tech

El Paso, Tex., Dec. 24.—(AP)—West Virginia university today started preparations to meet Texas Tech in the Sun Bowl football game here New Year's day.

HAVE A NICE DAY, HAWKS, BUT DON'T FORGET RANGERS

New Yorkers Have Won Six Straight.

Games Tonight

Detroit at Toronto.
Boston at New York Americans.

BY EDWARD BURNS.

The Blackhawks, according to New York dispatches, will spend Christmas happily, though most of the boys will be in a foreign land, their professional duties requiring that they be in New York instead of some city in their native Canada.

The lads are in New York to play the Rangers at Madison Square Garden tomorrow night and the reason they expect to be happy as they spend Christmas in contemplation of their meeting with the Rangers is to be found in the fact that they have beaten the New Yorkers in two earlier matches this year, 3 to 1 and 2 to 1. However, the Hawks should be tempered with the knowledge that the Rangers will take the ice tomorrow night sporting a six game winning streak.

Mr. Patrick Is Puzzled.

Lester Patrick, manager of the Rangers, is a bit determined to keep his team's winning streak going as a matter of hocky diagnosis, if nothing more. He can't figure out why the Hawks were able to whip his boys two out of two. The puzzlement is based on the circumstance that the Rangers have won nine games and tied two while losing only three to teams other than the Hawks.

The Hawks have won only five contests, those two over the Rangers, two over the Detroit Red Wings, and one from the Montreal Maroons. The Chicagoans have lost nine games and have the same number of ties as the Rangers. The Rangers have twenty points in the league standings to twelve possessed by the Hawks. That's a difference of four games between the Rangers and the Hawks as hocky statistics are reckoned, so no wonder Mr. Patrick is puzzled.

Mr. Patrick also is a bit sore at the Hawks because President Frank Calder has given the Hawks prior rights to negotiate with Tony DeMarco, a star amateur now playing for the Baltimore Orioles. It is, perhaps, difficult to visualize high powered big league skippers getting steamed up over what hocky calls an amateur, but DeMarco is good and Patrick, who started rebuilding two years before Manager Bill Stewart got into action with his rebuilding program, really wanted DeMarco.

They're Calling Hawks Colorful.

It is said that folks who are in the hocky business who attended the 20th anniversary jubilee of the National league in New York last Wednesday are proclaiming the current Hawks the most colorful team that has represented Chicago in several seasons. Manager Stewart responded to these pleasantries gracefully, then buttonholed several managers and told them he would rather be given a chance to buy or trade a few players than listened to honeyed words, even though he personally agrees with the subject matter embodied in said honeyed words.

Stewart says that if he had only three more players approximately as good as Paul Thompson, Johnny Gottselig, Mush March, Doc Romnes, Earl Seibert, and Mike Karakas, he would have one of the standout teams of the league. The strong teams are not so strong that they want to help the Hawks, especially since the Hawks suddenly have become a good drawing card on the road.

Home Team Gets Gate.

Unlike most professional sports you know, the home team draws down the entire gate. Therefore there is no heavy desire to help the Hawks please the fine and loyal Chicago constituency. Stewart, as a consequence, is proceeding on the basis that high bidding will tempt some of the hungry magnates who have been looking at a lot of vacant seats in their own rinks.

From The Tribune Sports Staf to You

At the Stadium Tonight—Sonja and Her Troupe

BY HOWARD BARRY.

[PICTURES ON NEXT PAGE.]

Sonja Henie and her lively troupe of figure skaters will go spinning under the Stadium's colored floodlights tonight in the Chicago première of a production called the Hollywood ice review.

Since this type of entertainment has become one of Chicago's winter institutions, the public has grown accustomed to seeing each show billed as more stupendous than its predecessor. The advance notices of the present production have followed traditional lines, but after a glance at the program the most blasé ice fan may be inclined to imagine a few adjectives of his own accord.

It's not hard to visualize some brilliant effects while looking over a program that includes the Prince Igor ballet tunes, some Strauss waltzes, the Magic Fire music from Die Walkure and Victor Herbert's Babes In Toyland.

Sonja Appears in Second Number.

The entire production, of course, is built around the graceful and attractive Miss Henie. She will make her first appearance in the course of the second number, which is called the Susi-Q. She will follow this with a series of skating routines set to Norwegian folk melodies. After an interlude she will return to complete the first half of the program with a Russian dance while the orchestra plays the Prince Igor ballet music.

During the second half of the program, Miss Henie will skate to some Viennese waltz tunes by Johann Strauss and two numbers by Franz Liszt. She will be back on the ice again for the leading rôle in the finale, Babes in Toyland, in which she will take the part of the Dancing Doll.

Number From "Thin Ice."

One of the numbers—the ensemble which will open the program—is from the motion picture "Thin Ice," in which Miss Henie starred. The entire show will be staged under the direction of Harry Losee. The management has provided an orchestra for this production, whereas those of the past have depended on the Stadium pipe organ.

The ice will be cream colored, with banked snow effects at the edges. High slides will be provided, down which some of the more acrobatic skaters will make their entrances.

The program will be presented seven nights, running through New Year's night. There will be no performance Monday night.

Mann Handed a Title Fight with Joe Louis

New York, Dec. 24.—(AP)—Promoter Mike Jacobs handed Nathan Mann a Christmas present today, but the New Haven, Conn., heavyweight may wish he could exchange it for something less devastating.

After several days of haggling over terms, Mann, recent conqueror of Bob Pastor, agreed to meet Champion Joe Louis in a fifteen round bout in Madison Square Garden Feb. 23. The Connecticut puncher's managers finally agreed to a return bout with Louis within 60 days if Mann should win the title, thus removing the last obstacle to the February bout.

Although Mann rates among the leaders in the heavyweight division on the strength of victories over Pastor, Steve Dudas, Gunnar Barlund, Charley Massera, and Abe Feldman, he figures to provide little more than exercise for Louis, who wants several preliminary matches before he fights Max Schmeling in June. The bout will be the first for Louis since he retained his championship by outpointing the Welshman, Tommy Farr, in a fifteen round fight last August.

Gopher Five Impressive in Drill for Eastern Games

New York, Dec. 24.—[Special.]—That New York university and Long Island university would be in for busy evenings when they meet Minnesota's basketball team at Madison Square Garden next week was evident to every one who watched the Gophers work out at the City college gymnasium today. Fast and clever at passing and good shots, they made a fine impression.

Simple Rites Conducted for Veteran Jake Kilrain

Quincy, Mass., Dec. 24.—(AP)—Simple funeral services were held today for Jake Kilrain, veteran prize fighter. Solemn requiem mass was sung at St. Mary's Catholic church by the Rev. John J. Brown in the presence of 100 relatives and friends.

Oak Park Has Light Drill for Miami Tonight

Miami, Fla., Dec. 24.—[Special.]—The Oak Park High school football team tonight went through a light workout in preparation for its game with Miami High school here tomorrow night. The team arrived today from Chicago by bus.

Barring effects of the change in climatic conditions—it was 20 degrees above zero when the boys left Chicago and 75 when they arrived here—Coach Glenn Holmes' charges are in fine condition for their intersectional game. The Oak Park boys rode out the 1,400 mile trip with apparently no ill effects.

Oak Parkers Show Vigor.

The Oak Parkers showed plenty of vim as they raced up and down the Orange Bowl terrain after an afternoon of sightseeing. The lads were kept well under control, however, by Coach Holmes, who felt that too much celebrating might hinder them tomorrow night.

Coach Holmes indicated tonight that he plans no changes in the lineup that carried the team through its regular season undefeated, but he does plan to substitute freely, especially if the warm weather slows down his starting squad.

Expect Crowd of 10,000.

Indications were that approximately 10,000 fans will witness this night game, the first evening encounter of the annual Christmas day intersectional series.

Both teams are in the dark as to the offensive and defensive maneuvers of their opponents as Coaches Holmes and Jess Yarborough entered into an agreement not to obtain information about their rivals.

Probable lineups:

OAK PARK.		MIAMI.
Kirsch	L. E.	Crum
Schneider	L. T.	Schaffer
Sheets	L. G.	Stripling
Chadwick	C.	Moore
Gehiman	R. G.	Sansone
Clapp	R. T.	Ellensen
Yarwood	R. E.	Bates
Sellergren	Q. B.	Reid
Petersen [C.]	L. H.	Schemer
Parrill	R. H.	Carter
Lilly	F. B.	Bass

Referee—William Harkness [Tennessee]. Umpire—Tom Thorp [Columbia]. Head linesman—Harry Coe [Michigan]. Field judge—Luther Voltz [Illinois].

HORNE SHOOTS HIS SECOND 67 IN $2,500 MEET

Guldahl and Snead Trail by Stroke.

Miami, Fla., Dec. 24.—(AP)—Stanley Horne of Ottawa, who holds the Canadian professional title, shot another subpar 67 today and led the field at the half way mark in the $2,500 Miami open golf tournament. His score was only one of four 67s today but it sent him out front alone at 134 as Ralph Guldahl, national open champion, shot a 68 and dropped a stroke off the pace.

Sam Snead of White Sulphur Springs, W. Va., fashioned a 67 and joined Guldahl in a tie for second at 135.

Horton Smith of Chicago, who carded an opening 69, also posted a 67 and projected himself into the running with a 36-hole total of 136.

Policeman Leads Amateurs.

Pat Sawyer of Birmingham, Mich., accounted for the day's fourth 67 but remained six strokes behind the leader. Johnny Revolta of Evanston, Ill., winner of the recent $10,000 Miami Biltmore open, registered his second 70 and E. J. Harrison of Little Rock, Ark., shot a 69 today to share the 140 spot.

Denny Shute, American P. G. A. champion, had a 141, as did John Watson of South Bend, Ind., Frank Moore of Mamaroneck, N. Y., Bud Williamson of Fort Wayne, Ind., and Earl Christiansen, Miami policeman, who remained the leading amateur.

Christiansen shot a 72 today and had a four-stroke advantage over Paul Leslie of Baton Rouge, captain of the Louisiana State university golf team, Bob Servis of Dayton, O., and B. C. Navers of Baton Rouge.

Tommy Armour of Chicago, who won the 1935 tournament with a 281, shot a 69 today for 142.

Horne Goes Out in 31.

Horne gathered four birdies on the out nine for a 31 today and was five under par through 15 holes. His usually reliable chipper failed him on the 16th and 17th, however, and he took bogies there for an incoming 36.

Snead pounded out a 35 on the front side, then picked up birdie threes with deadly chips on the 10th and 12th holes and an eagle on the 460 yard 13th, where he reached the green with a drive and four iron and dropped a 12 foot putt. He had an incoming 32.

Guldahl carded a first nine 36 as his short game faltered, but he regained his chipping touch on the trip back for a 32.

Scores of 149 or better were required for the pros to qualify for the final 36 holes tomorrow. The low 15 amateurs also remained in the play. Leading scores:

Stanley Horne, Ottawa	67	67	134
Sam Snead, White Sulphur Springs, W. Va.	68	67	135
Ralph Guldahl, Chicago	67	68	135
Horton Smith, Chicago	69	67	136
Pat Sawyer, Birmingham, Mich.	73	67	140
Johnny Revolta, Evanston, Ill.	70	70	140
E. J. Harrison, Little Rock, Ark.	71	69	140
John Watson, South Bend, Ind.	72	69	141
Frank Moore, Mamaroneck, N. Y.	70	71	141
Bud Williamson, Ft. Wayne, Ind.	70	71	141
*Earl Christiansen, Miami	69	72	141
Denny Shute, Boston, Mass.	69	72	141
Ray Mangrum, Dayton, O.	72	70	142
Jack Patroni, Shawnee, Pa.	69	73	142
Tony Manero, Peabody, Mass.	72	70	142
Tommy Armour, Chicago	73	69	142
Frank Camp, Terre Haute, Ind.	68	74	142
Albert Marchi, Miami	69	74	143
B. Cruickshank, Richmond, Va.	71	72	143
Ed Oliver, Wilmington, Del.	71	72	143
Jimmie Hines, New York	72	71	143
John Malutic, Youngstown, O.	70	73	143
Paul Runyan, White Plains, N. Y.	71	72	143
H. Barron, White Plains, N. Y.	70	73	143
George Fazio, Norristown, Pa.	72	71	143
August Nordone, Syracuse, N. Y.	71	73	144
Henry Ciuci, New York	73	71	144
Walter Murray, Gary, Ind.	71	73	144
H. McSpaden, Winchester, Mass.	71	73	144
D. Champagne Gr. Rapids, Mich.	70	74	144
Frank Walsh, Chicago	72	72	144
Eddie Busch, Norway, Me.	71	74	145
*B. C. Nabers, Baton Rouge, La.	73	72	145
Leo Mallory, Noroton, Conn.	72	73	145
*Bob Servis, Dayton, O.	75	70	145
Bill Burke, Belleair, Fla.	74	71	145
*Paul Leslie, Baton Rouge, La.	72	73	145
Al Brosch, New York	71	74	145
Mike Turnesa, West Chester, N. Y.	72	73	145
Harry Adams, Dayton, O.	70	75	145
Andy Gibson, Baltimore	70	75	145
Jim Fogertey, Boston	69	77	146
Bill Heinlein, Indianapolis	70	76	146
Leon Pettigrew, New York	74	72	146
George M. Smith, Chicago	72	74	146
Sam Byrd, Philadelphia	71	75	146
Leonard Dodson, Springfield, Mo.	75	71	146
Art Clark, Gary, Ind.	71	76	147
Bob Hamilton, Evansville, Ind.	73	74	147
Andy Kay, Norfolk, Va.	73	74	147
Jim Turnesa, St. Petersburg, Fla.	72	75	147
Ben Loving, Saranac, N. Y.	75	72	147
Johnny Gibson, Chicago	75	73	148
Dick Borthwick, Toronto	74	75	149
Johnny Farrell, Hollywood, Fla.	73	76	149
Bruce Coltart, Haddonfield, N. J.	74	75	149
Joe Turnesa, New York	73	74	147
F. Anunziato, White Plains, N. Y.	74	75	149
Tony Midiri, Maple Shade, N. J.	74	75	149
Willy Cox, Washington	73	76	149
Vincent Eldred, Pittsburgh	76	73	149
Hubert Christopher, Miami	76	74	150
Jimmie Crumb, Toledo, O.	76	74	150
Ray Schiermer, Miami	76	74	150
Chester Taylor, Portland, Me.	73	77	150
Carl Bindbeutel, Cleveland, O.	77	73	150
Harry Markel, Reading, Pa.	75	76	151
*Dick Kiel Indianapolis	77	74	151
Denny Sullivan, Gary, Ind.	76	75	151
W. MacFarlane, Hollywood, Fla.	74	77	151
Sam Kerr, Toronto	75	76	151
Ralph Hutchison, Bethlehem, Pa.	76	75	151
Harold Jordan, Dayton, O.	77	74	151
S. Remsen, Farmingdale, N. Y.	72	80	152
John O'Donnell, Edgewood, Md.	80	72	152
*H. A. Knowle, Chicago	78	75	153
Ray Schwartz, St. Louis	79	74	153
Herman Lang, Toledo, O.	74	79	153
Felix Serafin, Scranton, Pa.	76	77	153
Steve Ruda, Plandome, N. Y.	75	79	154
T. L. Huge, Cleveland, O.	78	76	154
Geo. Sullivan, Long Branch N. J.	75	79	154
Rod Munday, White Plains, N. Y.	78	76	154
Abe Forbrich, Fort Clinton, O.	80	76	156
Peter Groo, Chicago	78	79	157
F. MacDonald, South Bend, Ind.	72	82	160
Pete Henry, Philadelphia	81	80	161
*Dr. E. Brown, Akron, O.	82	81	163
N. Kelley, Glenview, Ill.	84	80	164
*Philip Read Detroit	82	83	165
*Z. A. Troy, Chicago	84	83	167
Johnny Moran, Batavia, Ill.	77	[withdrew.]	
Johnny Bulla, Chicago	72	[withdrew]	

*Amateur.

AMERICAN HAS SLUGGERS—BUT NOT FREAK ONES

Kreevich, However, Sets One of the Records.

BY IRVING VAUGHAN.

American league pitchers kept the slugging situation fairly well under control during the season of 1937. At least they were an improvement over 1936, as was evidenced yesterday by a batch of figures released by Henry P. Edwards, the league's public relations department.

The league wasn't lacking in straightaway power hitters but there were few cases of new freak records in which one man spent an afternoon circling the bases, driving in runs, or producing an unusual combination of hits.

Two records came from Mike Kreevich, the White Sox fly chaser, and Joe Kuhel, the Washington first sacker. Little Mike set a mark with four doubles in one game. Kuhel's contribution was three successive triples in the same afternoon.

Twelve Make 5 Hits in Game.

During the 1936 season two batters made six hits in a single game but nobody equaled this pace in 1937. No fewer than twenty-one men produced five hits in a game during 1936, but there were only twelve in this class last season. In 1936 there were three occasions on which a player scored five runs in a game. This happened only once in 1937, the perpetrator being Fabian Gaffke of the Red Sox, who didn't stay in the league.

Hitting for a cycle, a stunt which includes a single, double, triple and homer on the some day, wasn't accomplished in 1935 or 1936, but three fellows did it in 1937. Gerald Walker, now of the White Sox, did it for the Tigers on opening day. The two others in this class were Joe Di Maggio and Lou Gehrig, both members of the mauling Yankee troupe. Di Maggio, however, had an edge in this particular. He hit two homers that day.

Tony Lazzeri, the Yankee second baseman who now has become a Cub coach, had the pleasure of driving in eleven runs in a single game in 1936, but the high mark in '37 was seven. Four players shared in this performance—Bob Johnson of the Athletics, Hal Trosky of the Indians, Jerry Walker and, of course, Di Maggio.

The High Spots.

The slugging highspots in the league for the season follow:

FIVE HITS IN A GAME.

Di Maggio, New York—5-4-5-5*—single, double, triple, two home runs.

Greenberg, Detroit—5-3-5—two singles, double, two home runs.

Gehringer, Detroit—5-3-5—two singles, double, two home runs.

Clift, St. Louis—5-3-5—two singles, two doubles, home run.

Radcliff, Chicago—5-3-5—three singles, double, triple.

Lary, Cleveland—5-3-5—five singles.

B. Johnson, Philadelphia—6-4-5—two singles, double, two home runs.

Travis, Washington—6-0-5—three singles, two doubles.

Cronin, Boston—6-2-5—four singles, double.

Lewis, Washington—6-3-5—four singles, double.

West, St. Louis—6-2-5—four singles, double.

Finney, Philadelphia—7-2-5—two singles, two doubles, triple.

*Times at bat, runs, hits.

FIVE RUNS IN A GAME.

Fabian Gaffke, Boston, July 14, vs. St. Louis—5-5-4—two singles, double, triple.

THREE HOME RUNS IN A GAME.

Di Maggio, New York, June 13, vs. St. Louis.

Trosky, Cleveland, July 5, vs. St. Louis.

THREE TRIPLES IN A GAME.

Kuhel, Washington, May 13, vs. Chicago, in successive times at bat.

FOUR DOUBLES IN A GAME.

Kreevich, Chicago, Sept. 4, vs. Philadelphia, in successive times at bat.

THREE DOUBLES IN A G AME.

Appling, Carey, Fox, Gehrig, Greenberg, Knickerbocker, Powell, Rothrock.

BATTING FOR A CYCLE [SINGLE, DOUBLE, TRIPLE, HOME RUN]

April 20—Gerald Walker, Detroit vs. Cleveland.

July 9—Joe Di Maggio, New York vs. Washington, threw in six extra home run. Aug. 1—Lou Gehrig, New York vs. St. Louis.

TOTAL BASES IN A SINGLE GAME.

Fourteen—Di Maggio, N. Y., July 9, vs. Washington—single, double, triple, two homers.

Thirteen—Trosky, Cleveland, July 5, vs. St. Louis—single, three home runs.

Twelve—Greenberg, Detroit, May 30, vs. St. Louis—two singles, double, two homers; Di Maggio, N. Y., June 13, vs. St. Louis—three home runs; Gehringer, Detroit, Aug. 14, vs. St. Louis—two singles, double, two homers; Johnson, Philadelphia, Aug. 29, vs. Chicago—two singles, double, two home runs.

Eleven—Greenberg, Selkirk, Gerald Walker. Ten—G. Walker, 2; Clift, Gehrig, Greenberg, Kuhel, Moses, Trosky, York.

RUNS BATTED IN SINGLE GAME.

Seven—Di Maggio, Johnson, Trosky, G. Walker.

Six—Gehringer, 2; York, 2; Appleton, Greenberg.

Five—Gehrig, 3; Greenberg, 3; Bonura, Clift, Di Maggio, Selkirk, 2; Auker, Averill, Bell, Dickey, Henrich, Laabs, Mills, Rogell, Sington, Solters, F. Walker, West, York.

CUBS GET YORK OF TULSA AS DRAFT PERIOD CLOSES

Durham, N. C., Dec. 24.—(AP)—Close of the deferred drafting period today saw four minor league ball players advance. The period was held to permit clubs to draft from the rosters of those which had failed to file draft lists within the prescribed time in September.

Jersey City of the International league selected the veteran infielder Ernie Horne from Richmond of the Piedmont league. Richmond also lost the services of Pitcher Clem Dreisewerd, who was drafted by Columbus of the American association.

The Chicago Cubs drew on Tulsa of the Texas league for Infielder Tony York, and Meridian of the Southeastern league drafted Pitcher Mike Rolla from Hutchinson of the Western association.

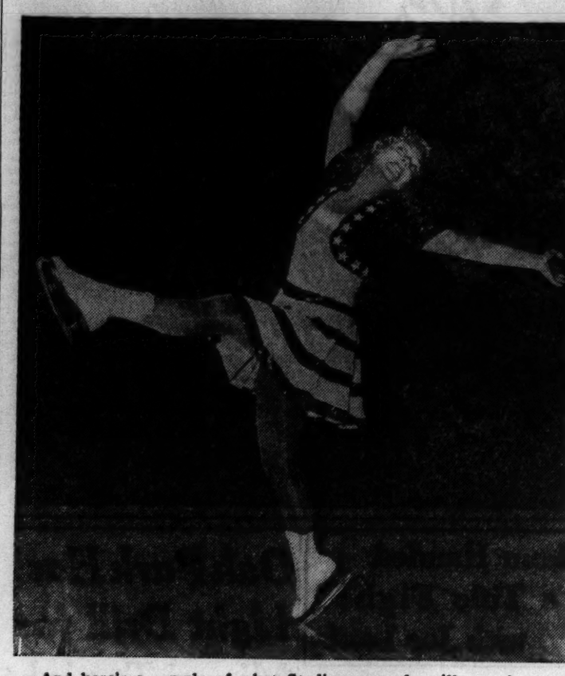
Snyder, Lewis Renew Auto Duel Tomorrow

Jimmy Snyder of Chicago and Marshall Lewis of Los Angeles will duel for honors tomorrow night in the 124th Field artillery armory, where thirty drivers will compete in a 100 lap auto race. Lewis still leads the point standing, which will decide the indoor racing title, but Snyder has been gaining on him.

MOON MULLINS—SAME TO YOU

Show Is On, and Sonja's Ready

Sonja Henie prepares for an appearance on the ice by making that inevitable last minute inspection of her makeup. Miss Henie and her troupe open week's stand at the Chicago Stadium tonight.



And here's a sample of what Stadium crowds will see the coming week. Miss Henie boasts a background enriched by Olympic championships and movie success. [TRIBUNE Photos.]

Busy Year for Sportsmen Is Becker's Wish

BY BOB BECKER.

This department extends a cheery Christmas greeting to all outdoor fans. We hope Santa Claus left word with every fisherman telling him where to find the biggest fish during the 1938 season, and gave sportsmen an especially cheerful tip on the waterfowl outlook. We have a number of Christmas wishes for sportsmen and dog fanciers on this day and we hope all of them are fulfilled. But, should only a few come true, it would be a very happy Christmas. Our wishes include the following:

For the fishermen and hunters in Illinois. . . . Our wish for you is that the state soon will establish a modern conservation department modeled after those which have been thoroughly tested in other states and now are doing such a fine job of rearing fish and game on a large scale.

For the duck hunters. . . . Our Christmas wish for the thousands of sportsmen who like to hunt waterfowl is that the year 1938 will bring better luck, better water conditions in the middle west, a swell crop of birds to come down the flyways in the fall, and regulations that are a little more lenient.

For the birds in the middle west. . . . Our Christmas wish for you is that sportsmen, suburban residents, rod and gun clubs, Boy Scouts, and others will not forget you this winter.

For those who have lost a dog. . . . We can think of no happier wish for those who have lost a much loved pal than this: We hope you will find another dog that will take the place of the lost one, because the companionship and understanding of a dog is one of the finer things in life.

Aron May Meet Saban Jan. 5 if He Whips Raymond

Milt Aron, 1932 Dubuque, Ia., sectional Golden Gloves flyweight winner, now challenger for a match with Welterweight Champion Barney Ross, may fight Baby Sal Saban, recent conqueror of Leonard Del Genio, at the New York Hippodrome Jan. 5. The contest hinges on his showing in a ten round headliner with Lou Raymond of Baltimore, Md., at Marigold Gardens Monday. Co-Promoters Irving Schoenwald and Jack Begun have added Ray Harris, former South Bend Golden Gloves title holder, and Frankie Agnes of the west side to the supporting card. . . . Ole Olson and Jack [Bad Boy] Brown will meet in a semi-final bout on the wrestling program at White City Monday. Jim McMillen and Fritz Von Schacht will clash in a return encounter in the main event. . . . Harold Brown yesterday worked out at the Manhattan gymnasium, 2418 North avenue, in preparation for his ten rounder with Fritzie Zivic of Pittsburgh at Rainbo Fronton Jan. 7.

Bobby Bruns yesterday opened drills at Trafton's for his bout with Jim Londos, erstwhile heavyweight wrestling monarch, at the Coliseum Thursday by going forty minutes with three partners. The Oak Park athlete, whose impending test is set for one hour and a half, worked ten minutes with Steve Savage and fifteen minutes each with Fred Grubmier and Joe March. Grubmier is paired with Lee Wykoff of Columbus, O., in the secondary feature. There will be four other matches. . . . Jackie Fields, the old welterweight king, who has been living in Los Angeles for the last few years, was a visitor in the loop yesterday. . . . Trafton's gymnasium will be closed today. . . . James C. Mullen, veteran Chicago fight promoter, has changed his profession to that of a race track betting broker.

$5,000 Stake Opens Season at Santa Anita

Los Angeles, Cal., Dec. 24.—(AP)—The Santa Anita track will open its 1937-'38 race meeting tomorrow with a program featured by the Christmas stake for a purse of $5,000. Sixteen horses were entered today out of the twenty-two that had been nominated for the mile race, but Amor Brujo, the South American question mark, will not be among them.

Horace Luro failed to enter the horse, considered one of the strong contenders, despite the fact it finished out of the money in the San Francisco handicap at Tanforan last Saturday.

Among the Starters.

Likely starters included Richard Carmen's King Saxon, Bert Baroni's Star Shadow, Fair Knightess, Indian Broom, and Sargazo, a foreign horse.

Should the track become muddy Star Shadow would move in as a leading contender, with an appreciable drop in the betting odds. Baroni would like nothing better than to see him win, since his Golden Eye won the mile event last Christmas and Top Row won the year before.

Santa Anita's plant has been improved at a cost of $1,000,000 since last spring. The grandstand has been almost doubled in size, and parking space, which accommodated 16,500 automobiles last year, has been enlarged to 100 acres.

JOCKY STEALS SHOW

Miami, Fla., Dec. 24.—(AP)—Jocky Johnny Longden rode three winners today and stole the show at Tropical Park from such other features as Norman W. Church's Fair Lead, the feature race winner, and a new finish camera installed at the track.

Longden opened his successful day's work by bringing P. B. Codd's High Image home in the opening six furlong dash, and wound up by riding A. Levine's Light to victory in the closing race. In between he booted home the lightly regarded Roman Pride from Mrs. C. S. Bromley's stables to reward the betting backers at $76.90 for $2.

Fair Lead, second Church entry to win the feature in five days of racing at Tropical Park, took the Matecumbe purse of five and a half furlongs by half a length over Mrs. Emil Denemark's Mondorf. The three year old gelding made his move around the bend and wore down Mondorf through the final furlong. Rifted Clouds was third.

The new camera is one of the eye-in-the-sky variety. Tropical Park stewards removed the previously used finish line phototaker and filed with the Florida State Racing commission a report of their observations on its use.

Daily Doubles

FAIR GROUNDS.
High Sheriff and No Doubt, $48.60.

TROPICAL PARK.
High Image and Roman Pride, $317.70.

FAIR GROUNDS ENTRIES.

FIRST RACE—Purse $800, allowances, 2 year olds, 5½ furlongs:

Chief Dandy	108	Barbara S.	103
Bob C.	106	Real Play	119
Norfeng	103	Star Flower	110
†Radio Charm	113	Busse Trumpet	108
By Gum	116	William Palmer	106
Fredalou	105	Woodsaw	116
Nymph	113	†Dolly Val	103

†B. Hernandez entry and J. Emery entry.

SECOND RACE—Purse $700, claiming, 3 year olds and up, mile and 70 yards:

Swap	110	*Playdema	102
*King Bonny	108	*Madcap Yankee	104
Saxopal	117	*Pay Check	107
*Bay Boy	107	*Sky Lad	112
Fairest Flag	114	*Poppinalong	102
*Petard	105	*Our Admiral	112
*Charming Sir	110	*Kapena	112
*Hit and Run	110	Sleep Along	112
*Thornby	112	*Old Field	108

THIRD RACE—Purse $700, claiming, 3 year olds and up, 6 furlongs:

*The Jurist	107	Julia Grant	109
Wax	112	St. Nick	112
Overlap	110	*Young Bill	107
Western Run	112	*Blond Jester	107
*Upholder	107	Golden Crystal	112
*Merovech	107	*Thistle Jock	107
*Polywhisk	107	*Ted Husing	107
Sun Image	107	*Wispy	108
*Good Cheer	104	Jules Lazard	110

FOURTH RACE—Purse $800, claiming, 3 year olds and up, 6 furlongs:

Fore	105	*Caravel	98
*Bright Land	101	*Sadie F.	104
Alma Mae	103	*Wise Duke	97
*O. Bantam	101	*Get Along	103
Baby Sweep	104	Panic Relief	111
Bartering Kate	109	Foolish Sound	108
*Curley Cue	108	*Odd Blue	106
*Calculator	101		

FIFTH RACE—Purse $1,000, the Black Gold handicap, all ages, 6 furlongs:

Winning Chance	102	Leading Article	125
†Miss Dolphin	107	‡Good Omen	109
Wise Player	112	Southland Beau	104
Bachelor Dinner	108	†Reaping	108
†Mister Boy	104		

†Mrs. A. M. Creech entry. ‡Miss L. C. White entry.

SIXTH RACE—Purse $2,000 added, the Christmas handicap, all ages, mile and 70 yards:

†Rough Diamond	100	Hope Eternal	109
Dnieper	107	Eastport	105
‡Giant Killer	105	White Cockade	112
Our Count	112	Zevson	116
‡Carl S.	101	Wax Wing	110
†Trina	101	Prince Torch	110
Trouper	105	†Chance Ray	106
Dolly Val	100	Visigoth	108
†Cristate	100	Buster Boy	104
Wise Player	112		

†Mrs. E. Hauenton and J. R. Bower entry. ‡D. J. Sullivan entry. §Mrs. J. Chesney entry.

SEVENTH RACE—Purse $700, claiming, 3 year olds and up, 1⅛ miles:

Gold Ti	103	Brass Monkey	105
Hotcake	109	Furled Flag	109
*Sonny San	100	Wardell Ormont	105
*Volgadale	107	*Barrette	105
Glasby	113	*Corker	104
*Rockrim	100	*Chehalis	100
Sweet Tokalon	100	*Scout Azure	108
*High Man	98	*Annelation	98
*Banco	100	*Amasin	104

EIGHTH RACE [substitute]—Purse $700, claiming, 3 year olds and up, mile and 70 yards:

†Irisheen	98	*Telling You	105
*Top Way	100	*Paralda	105
Khar Fair	106	*Hearty	105
*Raymets	98	*High Diver	109
*Uncle Lester	101	Cablegram	114
Tiempo	111	Dutch Uncle	114
Palm Island	114	Maskillo	110
*Teddy Carl	105	*Naval Cadet	105
*Felwyn	106	*Oh Dolly	108

*Apprentice allowance claimed.
Weather cloudy; track good.

TROPICAL PARK FORM CHART

FIRST RACE—Six furlongs. Claiming. Three year olds and up. Purse $700. Net value to winner, $525; second, $100; third, $50; fourth, $25.

Horse—	Wt	PP	St	¼	½	Str	Fin	Jocky	Eq	odds
HIGH IMAGE	113	10	3	2½	1°	1°	1°	J.Longden		3.05-1
AL CARLYS	109	1	4	3½	2°	2°	2½	D.Driscoll		9.90-1
FLICKERING	103	11	1	4°	5°	3°	3½	A.Clutter		7.10-1
GRANDMA'S BOY	116	5	7	7°	6°	4°	4°	H.Albrecht		11.70-1
AMHURST	111	7	2	5°	4½	5°	5°	K.Knott		4.40-1
BAILIWICK	111	4	9	9°	9°	6½	6½	J.Stout		20.20-1
VITOX	111	8	6	6h	7°	7°	7°	W.Fagen		56.10-1
SAXLEN	111	3	10	8°	8°	8°	8°	B.Wimmer		19.80-1
WINGED VICTORY	111	9	5	10°	10°	10°	9°	R.Roberts		15.95-1
GROUND OAK	106	6	11	11	11	11	10°	H.Keppler		197.70-1
CELTIC LEGEND	108	3	5	1½	3°	9½	11	R.Eccard		3.75-1

Time, 1:11 3-5. Two dollar mutuels paid: High Image, $8.10 straight, $5.40 place, $3.80 show; Al Carlys, $8.60 place, $6.00 show; Flickering, $5.60 show. Winner, ch. f., 5, by High Cloud-Imagination. Owner, P. B. Codd. Trainer same. Start good.

HIGH IMAGE, much the best, took lead when ready and just rallied along, winning under stout restraint. AL CARLYS broke good, was a stout contender and ran good race. FLICKERING tired after showing early speed. GRANDMA'S BOY closed a big gap.

SECOND RACE—Six furlongs. Claiming. Two year old maidens. Purse $700. Net value to winner, $525; second, $100; third, $50; fourth, $25.

Horse—	Wt	PP	St	¼	½	Str	Fin	Jocky	Eq	odds
ROMAN PRIDE	116	6	6	1°	1°	1°	1°	J.Longden		57.45-1
SANDUSKY	111	3	7	2½	2½	2°	2°	M.Sarno		2.35-1
MY WO	104	2	5	5°	3½	3½	3½	H.Mora		7.70-1
COUNT VALIANT	114	4	5	4½	3h	4½	4°	T.P.Martin		32.80-1
DON COSSACK	113	9	3	3h	4½	5°	5°	R.Eccard		8.00-1
BLUE ICE	113	1	9	7½	6°	6½	6°	W.Wall		3.30-1
HINDU PRINCESS	109	12	11	11	10°	7½	7°	R.Dotter		15.60-1
FLOOR MAID	109	8	2	9°	9°	8°	8°	G.Watson		50.65-1
HARRY G.	113	10	8	8°	8°	9°	9°	R.Merritt		32.05-1
WALTER L.	116	7	1	6°	11°	10°	10°	A.J.Fassero		225.50-1
TEMPLE FALL	107	5	10	10°	11	11	11	J.Butler		129.80-1
BROGAN	113	11	Left					J.Stout		4.40-1

Time, 1:13 1-5. Two dollar mutuels paid: Roman Pride, $76.90 straight, $24.20 place, $12.50 show; Sandusky, $3.80 place, $2.70 show; My Wo, $5.40 show. Winner, b. g., 3, by Pompey-Flying Field. Owner, Mrs. C. S. Bromley. Trainer, L. P. Harlan.

ROMAN PRIDE, showing unusual early speed, was hustled along all the way and just lasted to win. SANDUSKY, on the inside, stood a long drive gamely. MY WO ran a good race under weak handling. COUNT VALIANT is sure to improve.

THIRD RACE—Six furlongs. Claiming. Three year olds and up. Purse $800. Net value to winner, $600; second, $125; third, $50; fourth, $25.

Horse—	Wt	PP	St	¼	½	Str	Fin	Jocky	Eq	odds
REMINISCENT	111	4	5	4°	4°	1½	1½	S.Young		19.00-1
MIXWELL	109	9	4	1h	2½	2½	2½	M.Sarno		5.50-1
TOP PAX	111	6	3	2°	1½	3°	3°	W.Snyder		15.70-1
GRAND DUKE	111	10	2	3°	3°	4½	4°	J.Longden		4.00-1
FAUST	111	6	7	6°	7°	5°	5°	A.Bodiou		57.95-1
SUNAVAIR	111	11	9	10°	8°	7°	6½	V.Thompson		23.10-1
SACHEM	111	7	8	7°	6°	6°	7°	A.Schmidl		20.05-1
LADFIELD	111	2	10	9°	9½	9°	8°	J.Stout		7.55-1
INDIAN HEAD	112	3	6	8°	5½	8°	9°	A.Cooper		29.95-1
WHITE GINGER	106	1	11	11	11	10°	10°	A.Schlenker		84.50-1
BEEFSTEAK	116	8	1	5½	10°	11	11	E.Arcaro		1.60-1

Time, 1:11 3-5. Two dollar mutuels paid: Reminiscent, $40.00 straight, $21.30 place, $12.50 show; Mixwell, $8.30 place, $4.70 show; Top Tax, $10.20 show. Winner, b. f., 4, by Chance Shot-Memories II. Owner, Mrs. H. Kiser. Trainer, H. Kiser. Start good.

REMINISCENT was steered to the outside entering stretch, came with a rush, took the lead in final sixteenth and won going away. MIXWELL, well up all the way. TOP PAX, away fast, showed good speed but weakened at end. GRAND DUKE showed speed but tired at end. BEEFSTEAK pulled up lame.

FOURTH RACE—Five and one-half furlongs. Claiming. Two year olds which have not won since Dec. 18. Purse $700. Net value to winner, $525; second, $100; third, $50; fourth, $25.

Horse—	Wt	PP	St	¼	½	Str	Fin	Jocky	Eq	odds
SWEEPING TIDE	111	10	1	2½	2°	1½	1°	S.Williams		2.35-1
SPANISH MAID	108	1	3	1½	1½	2°	2°	C.Hartle		29.15-1
DORIS RENE	113	2	4	3°	3½	3°	3°	E.DeCamillis		43.95-1
MAMA'S BOY	116	11	2	4½	5½	4½	4h	E.Arcaro		1.85-1
ODDESA FRANK	116	9	8	8°	6°	5½	5h	J.Stout		10.05-1
LACONIC	116	4	6	5°	4½	6°	6½	R.Wholey		32.15-1
IRISH MOON	113	3	5	6°	7°	7°	7°	V.Thompson		2.25-1
JOE D.	116	8	9	9½	8°	8½	8°	C.Landolt		33.05-1
PASSABLE	116	7	10	10°	9½	9°	9°	J.Lynch		29.55-1
SWEET SHOWNO	108	12	12	12	12	10°	10°	A.Schlenker		10.50-1
DETONATION	116	6	11	11°	11°	11°	11°	J.Jacklo		33.55-1
MOON'S MISSION	113	5	7	7°	10°	12	12	J.Longo		114.75-1

Time, 1:06 2-5. Two dollar mutuels paid: Sweeping Tide, $20.70 straight, $16.50 place, $12.30 show; Spanish Maid, $32.50 place, $18.80 show; Doris Rene, $26.40 show. Winner, ch. g., 2, by Sweep On-Runebb. Owner, J. C. Ellis. Trainer, O. Johnson.

SWEEPING TIDE, away fast, raced SPANISH MAID into defeat and held on well. SPANISH MAID was hard ridden all the way. DORIS RENE on the outside, finished gamely. MAMA'S BOY had no mishap. ODDESA FRANK is sure to improve.

FIFTH RACE—Five and one-half furlongs. Three year olds. Purse $900. Net value to winner, $650; second, $150; third, $75; fourth, $25.

Horse—	Wt	PP	St	¼	½	Str	Fin	Jocky	Eq	odds
FAIR LEAD	113	5	4	3°	3°	2½	1½	V.Thompson		1.80-1
MONDORF	108	2	2	1½	1½	1½	2°	J.Longden		13.70-1
RIFTED CLOUDS	103	4	1	2°	2°	3°	3½	A.Schlenker		1.90-1
COMPANY	113	1	3	4°	4°	4°	4h	J.Rosen		9.40-1
PRINCE SADOR	106	6	6	6	6	5°	5°	D.West		31.40-1
PHALASAN	112	3	5	5°	5°	6	6	E.Arcaro		3.45-1

Time, 1:05. Two dollar mutuels paid: Fair Lead, $5.60 straight, $3.30 place, $2.40 show; Mondorf, $7.20 place, $3.60 show; Rifted Clouds, $2.50 show. Winner, b. g., 3, by Brown Bud-Fright. Owner, N. W. Church. Trainer, E. L. Fitzgerald. Start good.

FAIR LEAD was allowed to rate along behind the pace to the stretch, where he closed with a rush and won going away. MONDORF was rushed into lead, showed good speed and made a game effort. RIFTED CLOUDS was weakly handled.

SIXTH RACE—One mile. Claiming. Three year olds. Purse $700. Net value to winner, $525; second, $100; third, $50; fourth, $25.

Horse—	Wt	PP	St	¼	½	Str	Fin	Jocky	Eq	odds
SPURLIN	110	1	1	6°½	5°	2½	1°	P.Ryan		5.15-1
*TIME MB	107	7	3	2°½	1½	1°½	2°½	T.P.Martin		3.30-1
FLYAHEAD	110	4	*6	5°½	3°	3½	3h	W.E.Snyder		5.80-1
BABY WAY	107	8	2	1½	2°	4½	4°	H.Mora		9.35-1
BOLD PIRATE	115	9	4	3°	4½	5°	5°	A.Schmidl		30.85-1
DEBATE	110	10	5	4°	6°	6°	6°	R.Dean		11.10-1
FLYING BANNER	107	2	10	10	10	7½	7h	H.Keppler		9.15-1
NIPPONESE	115	6	8	9°	9°	8°	8°	J.Stout		27.95-1
SUN LAMP	110	3	7	8°	8½	9°	9°	M.Sarno		60.00-1
LADY TICHNER	112	5	9	7½	7h	10	10	C.Bierman		3.65-1

*Five pounds. Time, 1:39 1-5. Two dollar mutuels paid: Spurlin, $12.30 straight, $5.60 place, $4.80 show; Time Me, $4.80 place, $4.80 show; Flyahead, $8.10 show. Winner, b. g., 3, by St. James-Humanity. Owner, W. Hirschenson. Trainer, S. Rutchick. Start good. Won driving; place same. Went to post at 4:27. At post 1 minute.

SPURLIN moved up with a rush on outside, came around field entering stretch, closed fast and won going away. TIME ME had plenty of speed and held on gamely. FLYAHEAD was kept on the inside all the way. BABY WAY, well up for seven furlongs, then tired. LADY TICHNER ran a very poor race.

SEVENTH RACE—One and one-sixteenth miles. Claiming. Three year olds and up. Purse $800. Net value to winner, $600; second, $125; third, $50; fourth, $25.

Horse—	Wt	PP	St	¼	½	Str	Fin	Jocky	Eq	odds
LIGHT	109	6	5	1½	1°	1°	1°	J.Longden		2.10-1
SCUDDER	110	2	2	2h	2½	2½	2½	T.E.Ward		18.50-1
BREEZING ALONG	111	10	6	4°	3½	3°	3°	M.Sarno		6.75-1
ROUND TABLE	115	9	6	3°	5°	4h	4h	T.May		3.40-1
MIDAS	111	1	3	8°	8°	4½	5°	S.Young		20.55-1
STEEPLETOP	111	3	1	10	10	7½	6½	E.Arcaro		10.80-1
DARK ZENI	110	8	8	5½	5h	6°	7°	A.Schlenker		9.40-1
LEGIONARY	112	4	4	7°	6°	8°	8h	J.Barba		4.10-1
FLYING BREEZE	108	5	4	4½	6½	9°	9½	H.Mora		34.60-1
RONFALON	115	7	9	9½	9°	10	10	W.Bay		73.90-1

Time, 1:45 4-5. Two dollar mutuels paid: Light, $8.20 straight, $5.20 place, $3.50 show; Scudder, $13.20 place, $6.60 show; Breezing Along, $4.10 show. Winner, ch. f., 4, by Dunlin-Super Ray. Owner, S. Levine. Trainer, J. Bauer. Start good. Won easily.

LIGHT, away well and clear of interference, displayed good speed and was easily best. SCUDDER, well up all the way. BREEZING ALONG broke slow, was forced wide in early part. ROUND TABLE had no mishap. MIDAS was almost knocked down going into first turn, recovered and finished fast.

EIGHTH RACE—One and one-sixteenth miles. Claiming. Three year olds and up. Purse $700. Net value to winner, $525; second, $100; third, $50; fourth, $25.

Horse—	Wt	PP	St	¼	½	Str	Fin	Jocky	Eq	odds
MISS TAD	107	3	2	1½	1°	1°	1h	H.Keppler		4.70-1
MINE BOY	110	8	3	2°	2°	2°	2°	W.E.Snyder		2.45-1
MOON SWEEP	106	9	8	6½	3°	3°	3½	S.Williams		5.45-1
SPEED LIMIT	115	4	5	4h	6°	4°	4°	J.Stout		25.85-1
ONE CHANCE	115	1	1	6°	9°	5°	5°	R.Wholey		4.20-1
THE TRIUMVIR	110	2	11	10°	8°	6½	6½	M.Sarno		9.40-1
ADAMITE	115	7	9	8½	7°	7°	7°	J.Longden		28.10-1
SPEEDY SKIPPY	115	6	3	5½	10°	9°	9°	R.Merritt		14.55-1
BRINY DEEP	115	5	10	11	11	10°	10°	P.Roberts		41.15-1
BUDDIES	106	10	7	3½	2h	11	11	W.C.Huff		37.70-1

Time, 1:47. Two dollar mutuels paid: Miss Tad, $11.40 straight, $4.90 place, $3.30 show; Mine Boy, $3.60 place, $2.90 show; Moon Sweep, $4.30 show. Winner, b. f., 4, by Lantados-Royal Miss. Owner, J. B. Logan. Trainer same. Start bad. Won driving.

MISS TAD opened a wide gap in early part, tired suddenly and just lasted to win. MINE BOY finished with a rush on the inside and would have won in a few more strides. MOON SWEEP well up all the way. SPEED LIMIT suffered early interference. ONE CHANCE had a very rough trip.

SANTA ANITA ENTRIES.

FIRST RACE—Purse $1,200, the Holly Wreath, 2 year olds, 7 furlongs:

Gamelon	105	Iron Hills	108
Dolicia Boy	108	Bon Hommage	108
High Strike	120	Cue Ball	108
Rolling Ball	118	Shasta Buddy	114
Wild Run	104	Valley Lad	104
Bon Fume	114	Mickey O'Boyle	104

SECOND RACE—Purse $1,200, maiden 2 year old fillies, 6 furlongs:

Glister	118	Tropic Isle	118
Bon Jade	118	Crystal Sheik	118
Mep	118	Playing Time	118
Lady Gino	118	Kath	118
Miracle Sister	118	Just War	118
Rich Zelig	118	Marcie S.	118

THIRD RACE—Purse $1,200, 3 year olds and up, 6 furlongs:

Rock A	114	Mr. Blaze	112
Time Flight	114	Ariel Cross	114
Calaverras	111	Sky Wind	109
Royal Reign	118	Brendard	108

FOURTH RACE—Purse $1,500, the Kriss Kringle handicap, 2 year olds, 6 furlongs:

Ward Boss	108	Alaskan	112
Time Prince	112	Liberty Scout	108
†Diavolo Boy	112	Torchy	115
†Boy T.	108	Boss Martin	108
Felzo's Prince	115	Rocco	108
Sun Egret	112	Specify	112

†Valdina farm entry.

FIFTH RACE—Purse $1,200, 3 year olds and up, 6 furlongs:

Murph	112	Our Carolyne	111
Wha Hae	120	Scotch Bun	111
Lois Pan	111	Lt. Greenock	117
Townsman	109	Air Chute	109
Grog	114		

SIXTH RACE—Purse $5,000 added, the Christmas handicap, all ages, 1 mile:

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COURT ORDERS LIQUIDATION OF GRAIN COMPANY

Acts to Satisfy Heirs of J. H. Dole Trust.

Liquidation of the James H. Dole company, Illinois' oldest grain brokerage, was ordered yesterday by Judge Michael Feinberg in Circuit court. He acted to satisfy the heirs of the $100,000 trust set up by the founder on his death in 1902.

The heirs are Mrs. Warren Carpenter, 50 years old, Dole's granddaughter, only living direct heir, and wife of the company's president, and Frances Dole Leman, 11 years old, of 2771 Prairie avenue, adopted daughter of Mrs. Carpenter's brother, the late Sheldon Dole Leman.

Share in $100,000 Trust.

The two will share in the proceeds from dissolving the Dole trust, which includes 1,494 of the company's 1,500 shares. James F. Bishop, counsel for Frank C. Haines, the company's general manager and guardian of Frances Leman, said the business of the company, which has offices at 327 South La Salle street, would be suspended and resumed after the liquidation. The principal effect of the liquidation, he said, would be to eliminate the child as a partner in the company. He said her interests would be protected by placing her share in trust.

Mr. Dole founded the company in 1837. His estate was left in trust for his widow, a sister, a son, and three daughters. He provided that the estate be distributed when the last trust beneficiary had died.

25 Years of Litigation.

Litigation over distribution of the estate's income began in 1912 when Attorney Sidney C. Eastman was trustee. Haines succeeded him. Mrs. Carpenter and Sheldon Leman, who died in 1936, became sole heirs on the death in 1934 of George S. Dole, a son of the founder and the last trust beneficiary.

Mrs. Dorothy Dole Maddock and Mrs. Katherine Dole Rudolph, children of Charles E. Dole, a second son of Henry Dole, not included in the trust, sued in federal court to prevent distribution of the estate to the two apparent heirs, Mrs. Carpenter and Leman's daughter. The claim was denied, an appeal being lost in the United States Supreme court last October.

On Aug. 14, 1936, Mrs. Carpenter sued for dissolution of the trust, charging that Trustee Haines had refused to carry out Henry Dole's provisions. Haines replied that he was awaiting the outcome of the Maddock-Rudolph suit. Judge Feinberg's ruling terminated Mrs. Carpenter's action.

LITTLE ORPHAN ANNIE: Great Day!

WAVE OF STRIKES AND RIOTING MAR YULE IN FRANCE

Government Periled as Walkouts Grow.

PARIS, Dec. 24.—(AP)—A force of labor arbitrators, headed by Premier Camille Chautemps, worked late tonight, hoping labor would give France a strikeless Christmas.

But Christmas eve strike settlements stood at zero and labor troubles seemed to be multiplying.

The crews of all French ships at the port of Rouen struck, some of them not permitting stevedores to load or unload.

Street car employes at Valenciennes voted to strike at midnight. Clerks, office boys and messenger boys there walked out.

Sweeping aside a police guard, 1,000 food plant strikers demonstrated in front of a Paris general food store. They were dispersed when police reinforcements arrived.

Government Split on Issue.

The widespread labor troubles threatened a split in the people's front, supporting the Chautemps government. With the communists lending moral support to the strikers, other parties in the government bloc were inclined to hold back from or oppose such a position. An early debate on domestic policy in parliament was believed likely.

Like other Frenchmen, the "stay in" strikers prepared to celebrate Christmas with dancing, singing and feasting. The 2,500 workers in the Goodrich factory, which now flies a red flag, were joined by an equal number of relatives and friends. They watched a play and danced to the music of one of the capital's "hot" bands.

Army trucks rumbled over Paris streets in the wake of a truckmen's strike. Milk and newspapers were delivered to depots by blue-clad army conscripts. Foodstuffs stacked at railway stations were carried to almost depleted markets.

Army Bakes Bread.

Army bakers began turning out bread last night after a bakers' strike spread to Paris from Marseilles. Sympathy strikes were reported among metal and chemical workers near the Goodrich plant.

Most of the strikers demanded higher wages to meet increased living costs; some complained employers had not kept existing contracts.

Premier Chautemps, after conferences with Interior Minister Marx Dormoy and Air Minister Pierre Cot, insisted that the Goodrich factory must be evacuated before negotiations could start.

More than 50,000 Parisians, including many members of the dwindling American colony, entrained for winter sports centers of France and Switzerland. Night clubs, restaurants and hotels, however, were jammed.

OBITUARIES

Mrs. Edward Capps.

Mrs. Edward Capps, wife of Prof. Edward R. Capps of Princeton university, died Thursday at Princeton, N. J. Prof. Capps was professor of Greek at the University of Chicago from 1892 to 1907. Mrs. Capps was born in Jacksonville, Ill., about 70 years ago, and the body will be returned there for burial. She is survived by her husband, two sons, Edward Capps Jr. of Oberlin, O., and Alexander Capps of Boston, and a daughter, Priscilla Capps Hill, of Athens, Greece. Prof. Capps was minister to Greece during the Wilson administration.

William H. Griggs.

Funeral services for William H. Griggs, 63 years old, former Waukegan alderman, will be held Monday afternoon from the chapel at 236 North Genesee street in that city. Burial will be in Warren cemetery. Mr. Griggs died Thursday night in his home at 517 Madison street, Waukegan. He was a Masonic leader and was one of the first aldermen elected when Waukegan established a city council in 1931. Mr. Griggs is survived by his mother, two sisters and a brother.

Mrs. Ethel Conger.

Funeral services for Mrs. Ethel Keating Conger, wife of Attorney James L. Conger, will be held at 2 p. m. today in Belvidere. Mrs. Conger died Thursday in her home at 1309 Astor street. She was 28 years old. Prior to her marriage last February, she was employed by the law firm of Boyden, Bell, Boyd, and Marshall, 135 North La Salle street.

Frank Boncel.

Milwaukee, Wis., Dec. 24.—[Special.]—Frank Boncel, 56 years old, former Socialist alderman, died today. He drafted the Boncel ordinance to permit the mayor to close strike bound plants if crowds of 200 or more persons gathered near them on two consecutive days. That ordinance was adopted, but never enforced.

George H. Kidd.

George H. Kidd, secretary-treasurer of the International Brotherhood of Teamsters and Chauffeurs, local 705, died yesterday in Lutheran hospital after a brief illness. He was 58 years old. Funeral services will be held Monday at 1 p. m. at the chapel at 318 North Central avenue. Austin. Burial will be in Ridgewood cemetery. Mr. Kidd is survived by his widow, Irene; a son, George C. Kidd, and a sister, Mrs. Josephine Raymond.

Mrs. Julia Durham.

Mrs. Julia Van Steenberg Durham, who had lived in Evanston for 62 years, died yesterday in her apartment at the Ridgeview hotel, Evanston. Mrs. Durham was 87 years old and the widow of Albert Durham, a charter member of the Chicago Stock exchange. She was one of Rockford college's first woman graduates. Two sons, Ralph H. of Wilmette, and Robert P. of Elmhurst, survive her.

Treadwell Twichell.

Jamestown, N. D., Dec. 24.—(AP)—Treadwell Twichell, 73 years old, a former speaker of the North Dakota house of representatives, died of pneumonia today. He also had served in the state senate and as Cass county sherif. He was an unsuccessful candidate for governor in 1908.

Harold B. Johnson.

Westbury, N. Y., Dec. 24.—[Special.]—Harold B. Johnson, 47 years old, vice president of the National Surety corporation, died today. He was born in Lafayette, Ind., and attended Purdue university. His hobby was the breeding of cocker spaniels.

Dr. George Durand.

Waupun, Wis., Dec. 24.—[Spcial.]—Dr. George Durand, 84 years old, who practiced here thirty-five years, died of pneumonia today at a Madison hospital.

William M. Raasch.

Milwaukee, Wis., Dec. 24.—[Special.]—William M. Raasch, 62 years old, an undertaker, died today.

C. I. O. DIRECTOR FIRES 2 REBELS IN AUTO UNION

Hits Back at Leaders of Protest Meeting.

Lansing, Mich., Dec. 24.—[Special.]—Lester Washburn, regional director for the United Automobile Workers of America, a C. I. O. affiliate, struck back today at rebels in the Lansing local No. 182 by suspending two of their leaders.

Washburn, who called Lansing's labor holiday June 7, announced that Floyd Ryan, chairman of the Fisher Body corporation branch of the local, and Emerson Rice, a member of the bargaining committee at the Fisher plant, have forfeited all union privileges and have recourse only to an appeal to the international union's executive board.

Named as Protest Leaders.

Washburn accused Ryan and Rice of being the leaders in recent protest meetings at which Washburn's régime was assailed as a dictatorship and he was called incompetent to run the local's affairs.

Washburn today said Rice and Ryan have been guilty of public denunciation of international officers and the policies of the international union and of exposing private union matters in the public press. He also based his order for their suspension on their alleged refusal to abide by decisions of the international convention and of the international executive board and on the charge that they issued false statements regarding a split in the local union.

Claims Martin's Approval.

The suspensions, which Washburn described as unprecedented in the history of the U. A. W. A., were declared by him to have the approval of Homer Martin, international president. He denied there was any factionalism involved, asserting that the conduct of Ryan and Rice is such that no faction, except one organized for the purpose of destroying the international union, could support it or support them.

The Fisher body leaders, who alleged one of Washburn's objectives was destruction of the steward system in local plants, had asserted that virtually the entire Fisher membership sided with them in the controversy and would not coöperate with the local union as long as Washburn remained at its head.

TED HEALY'S FRIENDS RAISE FUNDS FOR HIS BABY SON AND WIDOW

Hollywood, Cal., Dec. 24.—(AP)—Friends of boisterous, philanthropic Ted Healy, who died broke, are helping raise a trust fund for his son, born eight days ago, and mother for his second wife, Betty Hickman Healy.

Meanwhile, from his first wife, Betty Braun Healy, there came the announcement that she was going to ask the district attorney to make a further investigation into the death of the comedian last Tuesday morning. There had been reports that he was injured in a night club fight but a county surgeon, after an autopsy, ascribed his death to natural causes.

Plan Distribution of More Books on Probate Court

Because of a sudden demand, Mitchell C. Robin, clerk of the Probate court, announced yesterday he would distribute 1,000 additional copies of a new book on Probate court procedure to lawyers and trust officers on Monday. He has already distributed 5,000 bound copies of the volume, which was prepared by Judge Oscar S. Caplan of the Municipal court, a former assistant to Probate Judge John F. O'Connell.

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CEMETERIES.

FAM. LOTS—$24 GRAVE UP. WOODLAWN [W.] Evergreen [S.]. Ran. 7384 for booklet. Tune in Station WCBD 2:30 p. m. today.

DEATH NOTICES

In Memoriam.

BECKMAN—June Beckman. In loving memory of Junie, who is spending her fourth Christmas in heaven. "Suffer little children to come unto me for of such is the kingdom of heaven."
LOVING GRANDMA.

DIAMOND—Hattie Diamond. In memory of a loved wife and mother who passed away two years ago today. Max-Carroll-Sam.

HANDLER—In loving memory of Albert [Al] Handler, who passed away Dec. 25, 1935.
DAD, SISTERS, AND BROTHER MIKE.
LOU AND AL.

HANDLER—Albert Handler. Two years today bring memories of one, never to be forgotten. ROSE AND SHIRLIE.

LICHTENFELD — Hannah Lichtenfeld. In fond remembrance. Dec. 25, 1936.
THE FAMILY.

MARTIN—Frank W. Martin.
Dec. 25, 1933. In fond memory.
YOUR LOVING WIFE, MINNIE.

MILLER—Pleasant A. Miller. In fond memory of my dear husband, who passed away one year ago today. LOVING WIFE.

NEWCOMB—Herbert Newcomb. In loving memory of my dear husband who passed away Christmas day, 1936.
GRACE NEWCOMB.

POTTER—Mary Potter. 1936.
Her memory is as dear today
As in the hour she passed away.
LOVING CHILDREN, GRANDCHILDREN.

ROSENBERG—Charlotte Friend Rosenberg. In loving memory of my darling, who went away seven years ago today. "And life is all the sweeter that she lived."
LOVING MOTHER.

ROSENBERG—Hilda Rosenberg. In loving memory of our very dearest friend whom we think of every day.
Anne, Cele, Gertrude, Sarah, and Rose.

VALENTINE—Alice Anne Valentine. In loving memory of our dear little girl who passed away three years ago today.
MOTHER, DADDY, AND JIMMIE.

VALENTINE — Alice Anne Valentine. In tender and loving memory of our little niece.
AUNT GERRY AND AUNT HELEN.

WARD—Marie J. Ward. In loving memory of our dear pal and sister, who passed away four years ago today.
In our minds a daily thought,
In our hearts a constant sorrow.

Fraternal Notices.

DEARBORN LODGE, No. 310, A. F. & A. M.—Members assemble 6328 Cottage Grove Monday, Dec. 27, 1 p. m. Funeral Benj. F. Jennings.
GEORGE A. REMINGTON, Master.

ALBRECHT—Olga L. Albrecht, beloved daughter of Marie E. and the late Louis F. fond sister of Elizabeth, Gertrude, William, and Vera Melnicke, and the late Kathryn. Funeral private, Dec. 25, at chapel, 3905 Lincoln-av. Omit flowers.

BECKENHEIMER—Fannie Goldstein Beckenheimer, at Pana, Ill., Dec. 24, 1937, mother of Mrs. Eva Nusbaum of Pana and Mrs. Clarence Alshuler of Waukegan, Ill., and Miss Harriett Beckenheimer of Pana. Interment at Pana Monday, Dec. 27, 1937.

BERGSTHOM — Eric Joel Bergstrom, 3122 Oak Park avenue, Berwyn, Ill., beloved father of David W. and Philip R. Resting at the home for funerals, 6910 Windsor avenue, Berwyn, Ill., Sunday and Monday. Funeral services Monday, 2 p. m. Interment Mount Auburn.

BIRD—Fred B. Bird, son of Louise Bird, beloved husband of Grace E. Bird, father of Thomas A. Bird. Services at funeral home, 5200 N. Western avenue, 3:30 p. m., Sunday, Dec. 26. Interment at Westfield, Wis., Monday.

BLANKENBAKER—Ralph M. Blankenbaker, on Dec. 23, at Hollywood, Cal., formerly of Chicago; beloved husband of Florence Blankenbaker, father of Mary Alice. Services at Forest Lawn, Glendale, Cal., Dec. 24

BRANTINGHAM—Murray L. Brantingham, Dec. 24, 1937, of 6108 Ellis avenue, beloved husband of Mae, brother of Harry J. H. Brantingham. At chapel, 415 W. 63d street. Funeral Monday, 2:30 p. m. Interment Rockford, Ill., Tuesday.

BUCKBERG—Marie Buckers of 6122 Evans avenue, beloved wife of Henry, fond mother of Henry S., Mrs. Elbrida C. Jenkins, Christ, and Mrs. Marguerite Jenkins. Funeral Monday, Dec. 27, at 2 p. m., at funeral home, 72d street and Dorchester. Interment Evergreen cemetery.

BUNTING—Guy J. Bunting, Dec. 24, 1937, of 5555 Hyde Park boulevard, beloved husband of Mary G. Bunting, fond father of Mary Bunting and Mrs. John C. Barber, son of Mr. R. P. Bunting of Norfolk, Va.; brother of Lawrence W., R. P., Jr., and Emily Bunting. Remains at chapel, 5203 Lake Park avenue, until Monday noon. Services Monday at 2 p. m., at Church of the Redeemer, 56th and Blackstone avenue. Interment Oak Woods.

DEATH NOTICES

BURNS—Thomas J. Burns, late of 1644 N. Lotus avenue, beloved husband of Amelia Canty Burns, father of Mary Burns and Mrs. Virginia Anderl, brother of George, Mrs. Marie Luebker, and Mrs. Alice O'Keefe. Funeral Monday, Dec. 27, at 10.30 a. m., from funeral home, 5546-50 W. North avenue, to St. Peter Canisius church. Interment All Saints'. Member of Bishop Ketteler council, No. 1628, K. of C., and Chicago camp, No. 54, U. S. W. V. Merrimac 0390.

CALLENDER — Anna Callender, nee Boylan, dear wife of John J., sister of Terrence and Arthur G. Boylan. Funeral Monday, 9:30 a. m., from funeral home, 2500 N. Cicero avenue, to St. Lucy church. Interment All Saints'. Berkshire 3070.

CAWLEY—Catherine Cawley, nee Printy, of 3104 Lexington street, beloved wife of John, sister of Mrs. Margaret Skinner, Mrs. Maria Cercorain, Mrs. Bridget Lavelle, and Mrs. Jane Cawley. At chapel, 3159 Madison street. Funeral Monday, Dec. 27, at 11 a. m., to Our Lady of Sorrows church. Interment All Saints'. Native of Westport, County Mayo, Ireland.

COCKRELL—Dr. John L. Cockrell, Dec. 23, 1937, of 411 W. North avenue, beloved husband of Marie C. Cockrell, nee Schorf. Funeral Monday, 3 p. m., at chapel, 1820 S. Michigan avenue. Interment Graceland.

CRONSON—Berthold A. Cronson, beloved husband of Ethel L., fond father of Donald B., and Robert Cronson, devoted son of Mrs. Bertha Cronson. Funeral services Monday, Dec. 27, 10 a. m., at chapel, 936 E. 47th street. Cemetery interment private.

DALTON—William [Jack] Dalton of 3108 Flournoy-st., son of the late William and Anna Dalton, brother of Mary, Agnes, Laura, and Lucile Dalton, Lillian A. Petersen and Margaret Conway. Funeral from late residence, 10:30 a. m. Monday, to Our Lady of Sorrows church, thence to Mount Olivet.

DE SMET—George W. De Smet, beloved husband of the late Julia C. Corselis De Smet, fond father of Mrs. T. A. O'Bryne, George W. Jr., Louis A., and Mrs. Lester W. Brown. Funeral Monday, 9 a. m., from chapel, 1353 Devon avenue, at Glenwood avenue, to St. Ignatius church. Interment Calvary. Please omit flowers.

DURHAM—Julia V. S. Durham, aged 87, widow late Albert Durham, at Ridgeview hotel, Evanston, Dec. 24. Private services Monday at chapel, 1460 Sherman avenue, Evanston. No flowers, please.

EILERS—Joseph S. Eilers, Dec. 24, of 7051 Oglesby avenue, beloved husband of Emily. Interment Dec. 27, Dubuque, Ia.

EWERT—Lulu M. Ewert, nee Sampson, Dec. 24, 1937, of 6242 Eberhart avenue, beloved wife of William C. Ewert, fond mother of Helen M. Ewert, beloved daughter of Mrs. Barbara Sampson, fond sister of Charles S. Sampson. Funeral services at chapel, 6328 Cottage Grove avenue, Monday at 2:30 p. m. Interment at Mount Hope. Member of Camp No. 10 Patriotic Order of Americans. For information call Fairfax 2900.

FALLON—John Vincent Fallon, beloved husband of the late Myrtle, nee Burke, fond father of Myrtle, son-in-law of Mrs. Margaret Burke. Funeral Monday, Dec. 27, at 9 a. m., from late residence, 1520 N. Luna avenue, to St. Angela church. Interment Mount Carmel. Merrimac 9890.

FARLEY—Anna W. Farley of 839 Barry avenue, wife of the late John, mother of Geraldine Allen, Dorothy Dunfrund, and Edward Farley, sister of Mary Wall, grandmother of Gersldine and Robert. Mass Monday, 10:30 a. m., St. Sebastian church.

GAU—Fred Gau, beloved husband of Martha Wolfgramm Gau, devoted father of Fred Jr., Clarence, and the late Hazel and William Gau, father-in-law of Cecilia, son of the late John and Minnie Gau, brother of John Gau Jr., Minnie Bondlow, Anna Best, Clara Martin, and the late Henry and Edward Gau. Funeral Monday, Dec. 27, 1937, 2 p. m., at residence, 1638 S. Highland avenue, Berwyn. Interment Concordia cemetery.

GAVAGHAN—Michael J. Gavaghan, Dec. 22, at Albuquerque, N. M., arriving Friday p. m., beloved son of the late John and Mary [nee Monaughlin]; fond nephew of Mrs. Sarah Walsh, cousin of Peter Philbin and Patrick McNicholas. Funeral Monday at 9:30 a. m. from chapel, 3419 N. Clark street, to St. Vincent church. Interment Calvary. Member of Sherman council, K. of C., and Postoffice Employes' association.

GEFVERT—Ruth I. Gefvert [nee Granquist], beloved wife of David U., dear mother of Ruby, daughter of Emma Granquist, sister of Ellen Youngreen, and Mildred, Mank. Funeral services at North Shore Swedish Mission church, corner of Christiana and Berwyn avenues, Tuesday, Dec. 28, at 2 p. m., where remains will lie in state from 12 to 2 p. m. Resting at chapel, 4821 N. Damen avenue. Interment Ridgewood.

GORRELL—Mary Gorrell, Dec. 23, of 7020 Paxton avenue, wife of A. D. Gorrell, mother of Mrs. Howard W. Kappler and Arthur Donald Gorrell, grandmother of Norman. Funeral services in chapel, 4227 Cottage Grove avenue, Monday, 1:30 p. m. Interment Oak Woods.

HACKETT—Catherine A. Hackett, 133 W. 74th street, beloved daughter of the late Patrick and Mary Brady Hackett, fond sister of Thomas J., William J., and the late John. Funeral Monday at 9 a. m. from funeral home, 6915 Wentworth avenue, to St. Carthage church. Interment Calvary.

HARTMAN—Lillian Hartman, at home, 8245 East End avenue, beloved wife of Joseph L., fond mother of Mrs. Dorothy Fuller and Melba R. Hartman, sister of Robert and Edward Anderson. Resting at home until Monday noon. Funeral Monday, Dec. 27 at 1 p. m. at chapel, 7350 Cottage Grove avenue. Interment Oak Hill.

HEANEY—Hattie Heaney. See Michaelis notice.

HOLLENBACH — Mabel Hollenbach. See Kempf notice.

JANTZ—Eugenie Jantz, nee Favre, Dec. 23, mother of Anna L. Blanchard, Albert J., David E., and the late Norman W. Jantz. Services were held Dec. 24.

JENNINGS—Benjamin F. Jennings, Dec. 24, 1937, of 817 E. 50th street, beloved husband of Marie Jennings, nee Koehler; fond father of Daisy, brother of Mrs. Emma Rabb and John Jennings. Funeral services at chapel 6328 Cottage Grove avenue, Monday at 1 p. m. Interment at Mount Hope. Member of Dearborn lodge, No. 310, A. F. & A. M.; Lafayette chapter, No. 2, R. A. M.; Miriam chapter, No. 1, O. E. S., and Englewood council, No. 565, Royal Arcanum. For information call Fairfax 2900.

JOHNSON—John C. Johnson, beloved husband of Ruth C., nee Bartlett, fond father of Edythe Mae, son of Mrs. Isabelle Johnson and the late John, brother of Thomas W., Mrs. W. J. Stenhouse, Mrs. Glenn H. Larson, and the late David W. Funeral Monday, 2 p. m., at funeral home, Late street at 24 avenue, Maywood. Interment Forest Home.

KIDD—George H. Kidd, Dec. 24, 1937, loving husband of Irene Ryan Kidd, father of George Clarke, devoted brother of Josephine Raymond, Secretary and treasurer of International Brotherhood of Teamsters and Chauffeurs' union, local No. 705, Truck Drivers. Resting at funeral home, 318-320 N. Central avenue, Austin. Funeral Monday, 1 p. m. Interment Ridgewood.

KEMPF—Mabel Hollenbach Kempf [nee Madden], Dec. 23, 1124 S. Gunderson avenue, Oak Park, wife of George Kempf, mother of William, Louis, and Mrs. Mabel Steele, sister of Mrs. Lena Cushing, Mary and William Madden, Mrs. Alma Kehoe, and Frances Madden. Funeral Monday, Dec. 27, at 1:30 p. m., at chapel, 124 Madison street, Oak Park at Lombard avenue. Interment Forest Home.

KINGSTON—Annie Kingston, late of 6940 May street, beloved sister of K. McCarthy, M. Donovan, and Samuel Kingston. Funeral Monday at 9 a. m., from funeral home, 5438 S. Halsted street, to Sacred Heart church. Burial Calvary. Yards 0662.

KOESTNER—Christine Ruth Koestner, 1450 West 70th street, beloved wife of Louis, loving mother of William, Edward, and Harold, fond daughter of Mrs. Christine Brecka, sister of Mrs. Mary Havel, Frank, Mrs. Josephine Zajicek, and Mrs. Rose Ritter. Funeral Saturday at 1:30 p. m., at funeral home, 2307 S. 52d avenue. Interment Woodlawn. Cicero 200.

KORSHAK—James Korshak, late of 500 S. Central Park avenue, son of Tillie and the late Abraham, beloved husband of Zelda, dear father of Roslyn, fond brother of Theodore S., Maurice, Sidney, Ida Levinson, and the late Anna Horvitz. Funeral Monday, 11 a. m. at chapel, 3125 W. Roosevelt road. Interment Jewish Waldheim. Late member of Apollo lodge, No. 642, A. F. & A. M.

LARDNER—Anna Lardner [nee Maroney], beloved wife of Michael P., dear mother of Mary and John. Funeral Monday, 9:30 a. m., from residence, 5550 Quincy street, to Resurrection church. Interment Mount Carmel.

LA ROCHE—Elizabeth La Roche, at chapel, 6222 Broadway. Beloved sister of Joseph, Mrs. Belle N. Kent, and Mrs. Emma Leone Franz. Funeral services Monday, 2 p. m. at Graceland cemetery chapel.

LAWSON—Swan Lawson, Dec. 23, 1937, beloved father of John Lawson and the late Harry C. Lawson, grandfather of Mrs. Eleanor L. Smith, Harry C. Lawson Jr. and Mrs. Grace J. Webb. Services Sunday, Dec. 26, at chapel, 1732 Wilson avenue, 2 p. m. Interment Stone Bank, Wis., Dec. 27, with services.

DEATH NOTICES

LEVY—Louis Levy, formerly of 1434 Clyde Park boulevard, beloved husband of the late Carrie Frankel Levy, fond father of Sidney B. Levy. Funeral Monday, Dec. 27, at 11 a. m., at Roschill mausoleum.

LUNDGREN—Victor E. Lundgren, of Omaha, Neb., beloved husband of Alice M., father of Maurice E., and Louise M., brother of Elmer G. Funeral Monday, 3 p. m., at Grace Lutheran church, Kensington and Ogden avenues, La Grange, Ill. Interment La Grange cemetery.

LUNGO—Daniel Lungo, beloved husband of Theresa, nee Galossi; fond father of Marie Cacciovale, Mildred Paladino, Rose Saverino Andrew, and the late Rocco Lungo. Funeral from residence, 1432 Flournoy street, Monday, Dec. 27, 9 a. m., to Our Lady of Pompeii church. Burial Mount Carmel cemetery. Seeley 0954.

McDIARMID—Walter S. McDiarmid, Dec. 24, beloved husband of Anna Armstrong, fond father of Eleanor McDiarmid, brother of Charles and Wallace McDiarmid and Mrs. Cora Graham. Resting at chapel, 5832 S. Halsted street, until Monday noon. Funeral services at Foster Park Baptist church, 84th and Justine street, Monday, 2:30 p. m. Interment Cedar Park.

MEICKE—Adolph A. Meicke, 2625 61st avenue, Cicero, Ill., beloved father of Harry A. Funeral services at the home for funerals, 6910 Windsor avenue, Berwyn, Ill., Monday, 3 p. m. Interment Mount Auburn.

MICHAELIS—Hattie Michaelis, beloved wife of Dr. William Michaelis, fond mother of Mrs. John Richardson and Mrs. Joseph Budlong, sister of Mrs. Emma Fay, Mrs. James Lukey, Mrs. Genevieve Wilson and Mrs. Charles Walker. Funeral Monday, 9:30 a. m., from her late residence, 606 Arlington place, to St. Clement church. Interment Calvary.

MILLER—Rosalie Miller of 4948 N. Winchester avenue, beloved wife of Gus R. Miller, fond mother of Robert Pelz, Arthur Pelz, and Edgar L. Miller, dear sister of Ernest Silberschlag. Services Monday, Dec. 27, at 3 p. m., at chapel, 3905-07 Lincoln avenue. Interment Rosehill.

MULCAHEY—Eugene J. Mulcahey, beloved husband of Josephine Ryan Mulcahey, fond father of Catherine, Mrs. John O'Neill, the Rev. Eugene, the Rev. George, and the late Bernadette and William, brother of David and Michael of Lindsay, Ontario Canada. Funeral Monday at 9:30 a. m. from his residence, 306 W. 66th street to St. Bernard church. Interment Holy Sepulchre.

NILSEN—Edward C. Nilsen, beloved son of Mrs. Sophie Nilsen Turnross, stepson of Morgan Turnross, brother of Esther Nilsen. Services at funeral home, 4332 Elston avenue, Monday, Dec. 27, at 2 p. m. Interment Irving Park boulevard cemetery.

NODELL—Augusta Nodell, beloved wife of John, dear mother of Fridolph, Harold, and Frida Nodell, sister of Mrs. Landeor and Mrs. Lunell, grandmother of Nancy. At rest in chapel, 640 N. Cicero avenue, until Monday noon. Body will lie in state Monday from 12:30 until 1:30 in Douglas Park Mission church, California and 22d place, where services will be held at 1:30 p. m. Interment Forest Home.

NORDLIE—Arndt G. Nordlie of 4613 N. Keystone avenue, Dec. 23, beloved husband of Birdina, nee Clemetsen, fond father of Anna Falkenstrom, Fred A., Dr. Arndt B., and the late Julius, grandfather of Fred Jr. and James O. Nordlie. Funeral services Monday at 2 p. m., at funeral home, 3301 Fullerton avenue. Interment Mount Olive. Member of Chicago Tent, No. 3, Maccabees.

O'BRIEN—Nora Joyce O'Brien of 6358 S. California avenue, beloved wife of the late Timothy, mother of Mary V., sister of Mary T., John J., and Michael J. Joyce. Funeral Monday, 9:30 a. m., from chapel, 1520 W. 69th street, to St. Rita church. Interment Mount Olivet. Members of St. Ita's court, No. 356, will please meet at chapel Sunday at 4 p. m.

PETERSON—Peter A. Peterson, at home, 7626 Champlain avenue, fond father of Myrtle G. and Conrad A. Peterson, father-in-law of Esther Peterson. Resting at chapel, 7350 Cottage Grove, until Monday noon. Funeral Monday, Dec. 27, at 3 p. m., at Gustavus Adolphus church, 74th and Drexel avenue. Interment Oak Wood. Member of Thule lodge, No. 30, I. O. O. F. and Carpenters' union, local 1341.

PIERSON—Hannah Pierson, nee Smart, 7045 S. May street, beloved wife of the late Robert, loving mother of Mrs. Ethel Frame, Mrs. Emily Deal, Thomas, John, Mrs. Margaret Cargle, Frank, Robert, Donald, Mrs. Hannah Harper, and the late Arthur, and Bertram. At home until 11 a. m. Monday. Funeral Monday, 2 p. m., at chapel, 8400 S. Ashland. Interment Mount Greenwood.

PLEINES—Anna Pleines, nee Nauquer, beloved wife of the late Philip, dear mother of Anthony T., Philip J., Edward H., Alexander J., Marie Henderson, and the late Henry Pleines. Funeral Monday, Dec. 27, at 10 a. m., from funeral home, 2157 Irving Park boulevard, to St. Benedict church. Interment St. Boniface cemetery.

PORTERFIELD—Robert Porterfield, son of John and Alice [nee Compton]. Funeral Sunday, 4 p. m., at cathedral chapel, 79th and Emerald. Interment at Pulaski, Ill.

PRASSE—Ernest J. Prasse, late of 1224 Cornelia avenue, dear son of Anna, nee Arndt, and the late George, dear brother of Clara, Emma, Florence, and the late Fred. Funeral services Monday, 3 p. m., at funeral home, 1458 Belmont avenue, to Rosehill.

ROSENFELD — Gertrude Rosenfeld, nee Miller, 2959 Kenmore avenue, served 30 years. Beloved wife of Abner G., beloved daughter of Hymen and Mollie, sister of Ethel Schulman and Milton. Funeral Monday at 10 a. m. at funeral chapel, 5145 Broadway. Interment Jewish Waldheim.

ROSIER—Charles H. L. Rosier, Dec. 23, 1937, of 10019 Parnell avenue, husband of the late Elizabeth, dear father of Mrs. Amy Evans Mrs. Gladys Irving, and Mabel C. Rosier, three grandchildren, brother of Frank, Kate and the late Henry. Member of Fernwood Park lodge, No. 971, A. F. & A. M., Auburn Park chapter, R. A. M., No. 201, Royal League, Royal Fern council, No. 39. Resting at funeral home, 314 E. 115th street. Services Monday, Dec. 27, at 2 p. m. at Church of the Incarnation, 102d street and Parnell avenue. Interment Mount Hope cemetery.

RUSSELL—Catherine Russell. See Catherine Sullivan notice.

SIMPSON—James Simpson, Dec. 24, of 1410 N. La Salle street, brother of Thomas W. of Oak Park, William M. of Champaign, Ill., Mrs. Ellen Egulf of Davenport, Ia., and Mrs. Annie Calderwood of Belfast, Ireland. Services Monday, Dec. 27, at 2:30 p. m., at chapel, 214-216 S. Western avenue, at Jackson boulevard. Interment Forest Home.

STALLEY—Frederick J. Stalley, 6329 N. Francisco avenue, Dec. 24, 1937; beloved husband of the late Jettie Stalley, devoted father of Mrs. Allen L. Clark and Mrs. George Corbet. Services at chapel, 5501 N. Ashland avenue, Monday, Dec. 27, at 2 p. m. Interment Rosehill.

SOWKA — John Sowka, 1649 N. Kedvale, dearly beloved husband of the late Mary, fond father of Ambrose, Sylvester, August, Ignatius, Mary Kroll, and the late Lucy Welinske, Frank, and Andrew. Resting at and funeral from funeral home, 4138 North avenue, to St. Philomena church, Portland and Kedvale, 9:30 a. m., Monday, Dec. 27 Interment St. Boniface. Call Belmont 6812.

SULLIVAN—Catherine Russell Sullivan, beloved wife of the late Robert S., fond mother of John, William, Lillian, and Walter Russell. Sister M. Roberta, O. P., and the late Thomas Russell, sister of Mrs. Nora Humphrey. Funeral Monday, Dec. 27, 9 a. m., from residence, 6048 S. May street, to St. Brendan church. Burial Mount Olivet.

SWITALA—Anna Switala, aged 77 years, of 511 Illinois road, Wilmette, formerly of Northbrook; wife of the late Frank, mother of John Hendrickson and Mrs. George Stephens and Mrs. Paul Gervoil. Services Monday, 2 p. m., at chapel, 1113 Greenleaf-av., Wilmette. Interment Memorial Park.

TARABA—Mary Taraba, nee Kuidon, beloved wife of John A., fond mother of John Jr., George, Joseph Albert, William, Mayme, and Helen. Funeral Monday, Dec. 27, at 8:30, from chapel, 5908 S. Kedzie avenue, to St. Gall church, 55th-Kedzie, at 9:30.

TAVERNIER—Joseph Tavernier, suddenly, beloved husband of the late Philomena, dear stepfather of Mary and Charles Mohn. Rosary, Sunday, 8 p. m. Funeral Monday, 9:30 a. m. from chapel, 2708 N. Western avenue to St. John Berchmans church, where solemn requiem mass will be celebrated at 10 a. m. Interment St. Joseph's. Information Humboldt 1717.

TEUFEL—Morris W. Teufel, Dec. 22, 1937, Phoenix, Ariz. Funeral services Oak Woods cemetery chapel, Monday, Dec. 27 at 3 o'clock. Remains at mortuary, 226 W. Randolph, Sunday until noon Monday.

UNKNOWN WHITE MAN—To identify. Call at 913 Madison street, Monroe 0444.

VERDEN—Peter Verden of 901 N. Trumbull avenue, beloved husband of Margaret [nee O'Brien], dear father of George, Estelle, Florence Weeden, and Robert. Funeral notice later.

WALTER—William G. Walter, beloved husband of Emma, nee Bruns, dear father of Lillie Zoeller, Elsa Blessing, and William Walter Jr., brother of Oscar Walter

RISING MARKET FOR HOGS ENDS; PRICES SLASHED

Packers Withdraw Large Buying Orders.

The rising market for hogs collapsed yesterday when packers withdrew large buying orders from the trade. Their action was due to the unsatisfactory cutting value of the hog in wholesale pork markets, which have failed to warant the increased live cost at the stock yards.

Top loads of light weights reached $8.90 on a steady to 20 cents higher opening, the highest price since Nov. 12, but similar kinds sold later at $8.70 and less. Butcher weights were hit hardest, falling 25 to 50 cents, with practically everything over 220 pounds off fully 50 cents at the close. Some of these were as much as 60 cents lower, comparing extremes of the two days.

Prices by Classes.

Near the close of the session big local packers bought most of the good to choice 275 to 300 pound butchers from $7.40 to $7.65, and obtained most of the 230 to 260 pounders from $7.75 to $8.00. Sows declined 15 to 25 cents, selling mostly from $6.70 to $6.90.

Despite the break, hogs still are substantially higher than the three year low of last week, lights showing most gains for the week. Compared with the previous Friday stock under 200 pounds were up 50 to 75 cents.

Butchers weighing 220 to 350 pounds closed unevenly, 25 to 60 cents higher, while sows showed 15 to 25 cents advance for the week. The week's average price at $7.95 was 15 cents over the previous week.

Cattle Carried Over.

Practically all cattle offered on the market yesterday were carried over for next week's selling, due to unsatisfactory bids. The cattle market this week scored some good gains on light receipts. Steers, yearlings, and hefers finished 25 to 50 cents higher. Beef cows were mostly strong. Calves, however, closed 50 cents lower. Stockers and feeders were steady to 25 cents lower. The week's average price of steers at $9.00 was 25 cent above the 1937 low of last week.

Wholesale beef prices finished 50 cents to $1.00 per hundred pounds lower for the week.

Mostly steady prices prevailed in ovine stock yesterday. Top grades of slaughter lambs again reached $9.00, but old ewes sold downwards from $3.75. The latter were 25 cents lower than a week ago, but lambs finished steady with the previous week's close. Yearlings and feeders also were steady for the week.

Due to the higher level of quotations about the middle of last week, this week's average for lambs at $8.75 shows 30 cents loss.

NEW YORK CURB TRANSACTIONS

Friday, December 24, 1937.

Shares sold today.....186,000 Total sales 1937 to date.....102,416,000
Year ago.....Holiday Total sales 1936 to date.....132,508,283

	Sales.	High.	Low.	Close.	Net chge.
†Aero S Mf B	200	3½	3½	3½	....
†Air Devices..	500	⅝	⅝	⅝—	⅛
†Air Investors.	500	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛+	⅛
†Allied Prod ..	100	8	8	8	-2
†Do A	150	13½	13	13	— 1½
Alum Co Am..	300	82⅝	82	82¼	....
Do pfd	100	105	105	105	....
Alum Ltd	400	74⅜	73	73	— 1
†Am Airlines..	500	10	10	10	....
†Am Box Bd..	600	8⅛	8	8—	⅛
†Am Centrifu.	100	1⅛	1⅛	1⅛	....
†AmCitP&L B	200	3	3	3	....
Am Cyan B ..	900	22⅞	22¼	22⅞+	⅝
Am&Fn P ww	100	1½	1½	1½	....
Am Gas & El.	1,700	28¼	27½	27¾+	⅜
Do pfd	250	110¼	110	110	....
†Am Gen	300	4½	4½	4½	....
†Do $2 pfd..	50	25	25	25	....
Am Light & T	100	25	25	25	+ 2
Do pfd	400	⅞	⅞	⅞	....
†Am Maracai..	200	23½	23⅜	23⅜—	⅛
Am Meter	200	23½	23⅜	23⅜—	⅛
Am Republics.	2,300	9⅛	8¼	9 —	¾
Am Sup Pow..	5,700	1⅛	1	1 —	⅛
Do pfd	300	16¾	16	16 —	⅝
Appal El P p	10	103¼	103¼	103¼+	¼
†Arctu Rad T	100	⅞	⅞	⅞	....
Ark Nat Gas..	500	3⅜	3½	3⅜+	⅛
Do A	3,700	3⅜	3½	3⅜+	⅛
Do pfd	100	6⅝	6⅝	6⅝+	⅛
Ark P & L pf	10	73	73	73 —	⅛
†Art Met Wks	200	6⅜	6⅜	6⅜	....
†Ashld O & R	600	4¼	4	4¼+	⅛
Asso G & El..	200	⅞	⅞	⅞	....
†Do A	9,200	1¼	1¼	1¼+	⅛
Do B pfd..	60	40	39½	40	+ 1½
CitSP $7 pfd	50	41	41	41	+ ⅛
City Auto Stpg	700	4⅜	4⅜	4⅜—	⅛
†Clark Control	100	18	18	18	+ 1½
ClaudeNeonLts	100	1¼	1¼	1¼	....
Club Al Uten	100	1¼	1¼	1¼	....
†Conn Devel..	800	3	3	3	+ ⅛
Colts Pat F..	100	56¼	56⅛	56⅛+	⅛
Colum O & G	800	3⅞	3⅞	3⅞	....
†Comwlth Ed.	300	26⅞	26¼	26⅞+	⅝
Com & So war	300	⅛	⅛	⅛	....
†Com S M vtc	100	12½	12½	12½+	¼
†Cons Biscuit	400	3½	3⅜	3⅜+	⅛
†Cons Cop Min	1,500	4¾	4⅝	4⅝+	⅛
†Cons G&E Ba	200	64¾	63¾	63⅞—	⅝
†Cons Gas Ut	700	1	1	1	+ ⅛
†Cons Ret Sts	1,400	3½	3¼	3¼—	⅜
Cons Stl Corp	500	4	3⅞	4	+ ⅛
Cont Roll & S	350	6⅜	6⅜	6⅜	....
†Cooper-Bess .	200	7⅜	7¼	7¼—	⅛
†Cord Corp....	1,300	11⅞	11⅝	11⅝—	⅛
†Corroom	100	2¼	2¼	2¼	....
†Cosden Petro	800	1⅝	1⅝	1⅝	....
†Do pfd	200	13	13	13	+ 1
Creole Pet....	500	24½	24¼	24¼—	⅛
Crocker Wh..	400	7½	6¾	7¼+	⅝
†Crown Drug	700	1¼	1⅛	1¼	....
Cuban Tob....	100	3¼	3¼	3¼—	⅛
†Cusi Mex ..	1,000	⅛	⅛	⅛	....
†Dayton Rub.	100	8¼	8¼	8¼+	⅛
Det Gray Ir..	500	1⅜	1⅜	1⅜	....
Dom St & C..	100	15⅝	15⅝	15⅝—	⅛
†Duro Test....	100	6¾	6¾	6¾+	⅛
Duval Tex....	100	8	8	8	....
Eagle Pich Ld	1,300	8¼	8¼	8¼+	⅛
EastG&F6%pf	100	28¾	28¾	28¾+	⅛
East Mail Iron	25	7	7	7	— 1
East Sta Corp	400	1⅜	1¼	1⅜+	⅛
Do B pfd..	100	17⅞	17⅞	17⅞—	⅛
†Easy W M B	300	4¼	4¼	4¼+	⅛
El Bond & Sh	4,600	10	9⅞	10	....
Do pfd	100	59⅝	59⅜	59⅝+	⅛
El Pow As....	400	3⅝	3⅜	3⅝—	⅛
Do A	400	3½	3⅜	3⅜—	⅛
EP&L 2d pf A	110	34½	34	34½—	⅛
†Electrgphic .	500	11	11	11	....
Empire Pow ..	100	23	22	22	Fr ⅛
Emsco D & Eq	100	8⅝	8⅝	8⅝	....
†Equity Corp.	800	⅞	⅞	⅞—	⅛
Evans Wallo..	200	¼	¼	¼	....
†Ex-Cello-o Cp	600	11⅛	10⅞	10⅞+	⅛
†Fairchild Av.	200	3⅜	3¼	3⅜+	⅛
†Ferro Enam..	200	22¼	21⅝	22¼+	⅝
Fidel Rub	100	6	6	6	....
Ford M Can A	100	16	16	16	+ ⅛
Ford Mot Ltd.	300	5⅝	5⅜	5⅝	....
†FroedG cv pf	100	14¼	14	14 —	⅛
Gen Fireprfg .	500	11⅜	11⅜	11⅜—	⅜
Gen Invest	200	¼	¼	¼	....
†Gen Tel	300	12	12	12	....
Godchaux SuB	100	12¼	12½	12½+	1½
†Gr Nt Sta Films	2,000	⅜	⅜	⅜+	⅛
†Gr Rap V....	100	8	8	8	....
Gray Tel P S	300	5¼	5¼	5¼	....
Gt Atl & P nv	300	49	48½	48⅝	— ⅜
Do 1st pfd ..	50	120	119⅝	120	+ 2
Greenf T & D	300	6⅛	6	6½+	⅜
Gulf Oil	1,100	38¼	37¾	38	+ ⅛
Hall Lamp	200	2¾	2¾	2¾	— ⅛
Hrtfd Ray vtc	500	1⅞	1⅜	1⅞+	⅛
†Hat Cp Am ..	1,100	4½	4½	4½	....
†Hearn D Strs	300	7	7	7	....
†Hecla Min ..	1,100	9	8⅞	9	....
†Hewitt Rub.	100	7¼	7¼	7¼	....
Horn & Hard..	100	23¾	23¾	23¾+	⅛
†Hubbell [H]	100	10⅜	10⅜	10⅜+	⅛
†Hud BayM&S	1,500	23⅜	22¾	22¾—	1⅛
Humble Oil ..	1,100	68	67⅝	68	+ ⅛
†Hurnl ReFbre	200	5	5	5	+ ⅛
Hygrade Sylv.	50	35½	35½	35½—	⅛
Ill Iowa Pow.	700	3⅜	3⅜	3⅜	....
Do div ct....	300	5¼	5¼	5¼—	⅛
Do pfd	200	16	15⅝	15⅝—	⅜
†Ill Zinc	100	10¼	10¼	10¼—	⅛
Imp Oil Can..	700	17⅞	17½	17½—	⅛
Ind Ter Ill B	100	1½	1½	1½	....
Ind Svc 7%pf	20	13½	13½	13½+	⅛
Inds Finanvtc	100	⅜	⅜	⅜	....
Ins Co N Am	400	57¾	56	56¾—	⅜
Int Cig Mch..	200	18⅜	18⅛	18⅜	....
†IntPpr&Pwar	1,200	2⅜	2⅜	2⅜	....
†Inter Radio.	200	5⅞	5⅞	5⅞	....
†Inter Util B.	100	⅛	⅛	⅛	....
†Do prpfd..	100	28	28	28 —	1½
†Inter Vitamn	1,500	3½	3	3⅛—	⅜
†Inters HmeE	100	4	4	4	....
IntersPwDelpf	60	5¼	4½	5⅛⅜	⅜
Iron Firemvtc	50	12¾	12¾	12¾—	⅛
†Irving AirCh	700	9	8½	9	+ 1
†Ital SuprpwA	100	⅛	⅛	⅛—	⅛
†Jacobs Co ..	100	5⅝	5⅝	5⅝+	⅛
†Jeannette Gla	100	2¼	2¼	2¼+	⅛
JCP&L5½%pf	25	67	67	67	....
Jones &LauSti	100	36¼	36⅛	36⅜+	⅛
†Kennedy's ..	100	5⅝	5⅝	5⅝+	⅛
Kings CLtpfB	10	30	30	30 —	1¼
†Kingstn Prd	100	2¼	2¼	2½	....
†Kirby Pet ..	1,200	2⅜	2⅜	2⅜+	⅛
Lake Shr M..	1,500	52⅜	52⅛	52½+	⅛
†Lefcourt Rel	200	⅜	⅜	⅜	....
†Do pfd	100	12⅝	12⅝	12⅝	....
Lehigh C & N	1,100	3⅜	3⅜	3⅝—	5⅝
†Leonard Oil..	100	⅝	⅝	⅝	....
†Lion Oil	800	18½	18	18½—	⅛
†Lockhed Airc	3,300	10½	9½	10⅛+	⅝
Lone Star Gas	700	7¼	7⅛	7¼	....
Long Is Lt....	700	1⅜	1⅛	1⅜—	⅛
Do pfd	40	39	38	38 —	1
Louis Dre&A..	1,500	8¾	8½	8⅝—	⅛
†Lynch Corp..	50	37½	37½	37½—	⅛
McWill Dredg	400	10½	10	10¾—	⅛
†Margay Oil..	200	20	20	20 +	3¼
Marion StShv	200	5	5	5	....
†Memph N Gas	100	3⅜	3⅞	3⅞—	⅛
Mercant Strs.	100	16¼	16	16	....
†MichStilTube	300	⅝	⅝	⅝	....
MidStPetA vtc	300	3½	3½	3½—	⅛
Do B vtc...	1,000	¼	¼	¼	....
†Midwest Oil..	500	7	7	7	+ ⅛
†Molybdenum	300	5	5	5	....
Monte LH&P..	50	30½	30½	30½+	⅝
MortBankCol..	100	3⅜	3⅜	3⅜	....
†MountCityCop	700	6	5⅝	5⅝+	⅛
Mount Prod..	200	4⅜	4⅜	4⅜+	⅛
†Nat Auto Fib	1,700	5¼	5	5 —	⅛
†Nat Bellas H	2,700	⅞	⅞	⅞	....
†NatContainer	200	7½	7½	7½	....
Nat Fuel Gas.	100	13⅞	13⅞	13⅞	....
†Nat Rub M..	500	4	4	4	....
Nat Service..	500	⅛	⅛	⅛	....
Nat Sug Ref..	300	17	17	17 —	⅛
Nat Trans	200	7¾	7½	7½—	⅛
Nat Tun & M..	200	1½	1½	1½—	⅛
†Navarro Oil..	100	2	2	2	....
†Nelson H	100	4½	4½	4½	....
NevadaCalEpf	25	53	53	53	....
New Eng T&T	180	100	100	100 —	1½
N J Zinc	150	59	58⅝	58⅝	....
†Newmont M..	100	58	58	58	....
†New Process..	200	21½	21½	21½+	1
†NY&Hon Ros	500	24½	22	22 —	4½
†NYC Omn w	100	8	6	6	+ ⅛
†NYMerchand	100	8	8	8	— ⅛
NYWatSv pfd	20	17½	17	17½+	1½
†Niag-H Pow..	2,100	8⅝	8⅛	8⅜—	⅛
†Do war	200	⅛	⅛	⅛	....
†Do 1st pfd	175	78	77¼	78	+ 1
†NiagShMd B	100	5⅝	5⅝	5⅝	....
Niles-Bem-P ..	200	34	33¼	33½—	⅜
†NipissingMns	100	2	2	2	+ ⅛
†No A Ray A	100	21	21	21	+ 1
†No Am Ut S	100	⅞	⅞	⅞—	⅛
No I PS 7%pf	40	76	76	76	....
N St P A....	800	11¾	11	11¼+	⅛
Ohio Pow pf..	100	111	111	111	....
†Okla Nat G..	100	7⅞	7⅞	7⅞+	⅛
†Do pfd	250	20⅝	20⅝	20⅝+	⅛
†Oldetyme Dis	300	2¼	2⅜	2⅜—	⅛
†Pac Can	100	5⅛	5⅛	5⅛—	⅛
†Pac Pub Svc	100	5	5	5	....
†Pan-Am Air..	300	17¾	17⅜	17⅜	....
†Pantepec Oil..	4,000	5⅞	5⅝	5⅝	....
†Pkbp R&R....	400	17⅜	17	17¼—	⅝
†Pend Gr A...	100	22½	22½	22½+	1½
Pennroad	800	2⅜	2¼	2¼	....
Pa G & El A..	200	9⅝	9⅝	9⅝	....
Pa P&L $7 pf	100	92	91½	91½	....
†Paris T&R..	300	3½	3¼	3⅜	....
Phila Co	200	7½	7½	7⅝	....
†Phillips Pkg.	200	3½	3½	3½	....
†Phoenix Sec.	1,300	3	2⅝	3	....
†Pierce Gov ..	100	10¼	10¼	10¼	+ ⅛
†Pioneer Gold.	1,300	2⅞	2⅞	2⅞	....
Pitney-Bowes .	200	5½	5½	5½	....
†Pitts Forg ..	200	6⅝	6⅝	6⅝	....
†Pitts Metal ..	100	8	8	8	+ ⅛
Pitts Pl Gl..	300	88½	88	88½+	1¼
†Plough	200	7⅞	7⅝	7⅞+	⅛
†Polaris Mng..	500	3⅜	3	3⅜+	⅛
Powdl & Alex	100	3⅜	3⅜	3⅜+	⅛
†Pratt & Lam	200	18⅜	18⅜	18⅜+	⅛
Pressed Met ..	100	18⅜	18⅛	18⅜—	⅛
Prod Corp ..	500	⅛	⅛	⅛	....
Prosperity B	500	5¼	5	5¼—	⅛
†Prud Invtrs..	200	5⅜	5¼	5½	....
PS In $7 prpf	30	26⅜	26⅜	26⅜—	1¼
Do $6 pf....	40	13	13	13	....
Pug SP $5 pf	25	29¼	29½	29¼—	⅜
†Rainbow L B	800	⅛	⅛	⅛	....
Raym Corp ..	50	14⅝	¼	14⅝	....
†Red Bank Oil	100	3½	3½	3½	....
†Reiter-Fost ..	100	⅝	⅝	⅝	....
Reynolds Inv..	550	½	¾	½+	⅛
†Root Pet	100	2⅜	2⅜	2⅜	....
†Royal Type..	50	42½	42½	42½—	⅛
†Rustless I&S	200	7⅝	7½	7½	....
†Do cv pfd.	350	42	41	41 —	1
Ryan Cons	400	3¼	3⅛	3¼	....
†Ryer & Hain	200	1¼	1¼	1¼+	⅛
St Regis Pap.	2,500	3½	3⅛	3½	....
†Savoy Oil ..	100	1¼	1¼	1¼—	⅛
Scoville Mfg..	100	25¼	25¼	25¼—	⅜
Segal Lock ..	1,200	1⅛	1	1	....
Selberling Rub	100	2⅜	2⅜	2⅜—	⅛
†Selected Indu	200	1	1	1	....
†Do pr pfd.	250	54½	54	54	....
†Seversky Aire	900	1⅞	1⅜	1⅞+	⅛
†Shattu Denn	900	7⅛	7	7⅛+	⅛
Sherw - Wms	500	87¼	86	87¼+	⅛
†SimHar & Pt	100	2	2	2	+ ⅛
Singer Mfg ..	100	220	220	220	+ 3
†Sonotone	100	1⅝	1⅝	1⅝—	⅛
†So Coast	100	3	3	3 —	⅛
†Southld Roy	200	6¾	6¾	6¾	....
†Spencer Shoe	400	5	5	5	....
Stahl-Meyer ..	100	1½	1½	1½	....
†StdC&S cv pf	100	17½	17½	17½+	⅛
†Standinv pfd	50	10⅜	10⅜	10⅜—	⅛
†St Oil Ky ..	200	18	17⅞	18 +	⅜
†St Oil Ohio..	100	20½	20½	20½—	1¼
St Pow & Lt	300	1⅜	1⅜	1⅜	....
†Stand Prod..	100	5½	5½	5½	....
†Std Sil-Lead.	700	⅛	⅛	⅛	....
†Sterl AlumPr	100	6	6	6	+ ⅛
†Sterling Inc..	1,600	2⅜	2¼	2⅜	....
Sunnes H	100	1⅜	1⅜	1⅜+	⅛
Sullivan Mach	200	7⅝	7½	7½—	⅛
†Sun Ray Drg	200	13	13	13	....
†Sunray Oil..	300	3	3	3	....
Taggart	400	4	4	4	....
†Taylor K Dist	100	1⅜	1⅜	1⅜—	⅛
Technicolor ...	1,200	17⅞	17⅜	17⅞+	⅛
†Teck-Hugh G	300	5⅝	5¼	5¼	....
†Texon Oil ..	100	4	4	4	....
†Trans-Lux ..	100	2⅜	2⅜	2⅜	....
†Transw Oil..	200	6⅛	5⅞	6⅛—	⅛
Tubize Chat..	300	7¼	7	7	....
Do A	200	28¼	26½	26½—	2⅜
†Tg-Sol Lamp	200	2⅝	2½	2½—	⅛
†Do pfd	100	7	7	7	+ ⅛
†Union Invest	100	5⅜	5⅜	5⅜—	⅛
Unit Airc war	2,200	11½	10½	11⅜+	1⅜
†UnitCg-WStrs	3,800	⅝	⅛	⅛	....
Unit Crp war	100	⅛	⅛	⅛	+ ⅛
Unit Gas	3,100	4¾	4½	4⅝+	⅜
Do war	800	1⅜	1⅜	1⅜	....
Un Lt & Pw A	500	3½	3¼	3⅜—	⅛
Do B	100	4¼	4¼	4¼	....
Do cv pfd..	800	26	25¼	25½—	⅜
†UnitShpyds A	100	2	2	2	....
Unit Shoe M..	325	76½	75	75	+ 1
†Unit Speclts..	200	5	4⅜	4⅞—	⅜
U S Foil B..	300	5¾	5¾	5¾—	⅛
†U S Lines pf	300	1⅞	1⅞	1⅞	....
U S Rub Recl	100	1⅞	1⅞	1⅞—	⅛
U S Strs 1 pf	50	4½	4½	4½+	⅜
†Unit WallPpr	1,900	2½	2	2¼	....
†Univ Crp vtc	200	2⅜	2⅛	2⅜+	⅛
Utah IdahSug	300	1⅜	1⅜	1⅜+	⅛
Utah P&L pf	175	38	38	38 —	⅛
Util Pw & Lt	600	⅞	⅝	⅞	....
Utility & Ind	100	⅛	⅛	⅛+	⅛
†Vlspr Crp vtc	300	2½	2½	2½	....
†Do pfd vtc	75	27	27	27 +	1
†VanNrm MT	200	13¼	13¼	13¼+	⅛
†Venezuel Pet	200	1¼	1¼	1¼+	⅛
Waco Aircr....	500	2½	2½	2½	....
†Walker Min..	100	1½	1½	1½	....
†Wayne KnitM	100	7¼	7¼	7¼—	⅛
†Wntwth Mfg	200	2½	2½	2½	....
†W Va C & C	100	2¼	2¼	2¼	....
†Wivrne Tube	500	4½	4⅜	4⅜—	⅛
†Wright Harg..	3,400	7½	7½	7⅝+	⅛
†Yng Stl Door	800	20¾	20	20	....
†Yukon Gold..	1,300	1¾	1⅝	1¾	....

DOMESTIC BONDS.

	Sales thous.	High.	Low.	Close.	Net chge.
1 Ala Pow 5s '46	100⅛	100⅛	100⅛	100⅛—	⅛
3 do 5s '56	86⅞	86⅞	86⅞	86⅞	....
1 do 5s '56	99	99	99	99	....
7 AmG&E 5s 2028	107⅞	107⅞	107⅞	107⅞+	⅛
25 AmP&L 6s 2016	79	79	79	79 —	⅛
1 AmSeat 6s'46 stp	87¾	87¾	87¾	87¾—	1¼
1 AppalElPw 5s'56	105	105	105	105 —	⅛
1 ArkP&L 5s '55	93¾	93¾	93¾	93¾—	⅜
28 As Elec 4½s'53	86	86	86	86 +	½
14 As G&E 5s '50	33½	33	33	33 —	⅛
6 do 5s '68	31¾	31	31	31	....
3 do 4½s '49C	29	28½	28½—	⅜
12 Can P&L 5s '56	87⅝	87½	87½ —	⅛
12 CenStEl 5½s '54	39¾	38⅝	38⅞—	1¼
4 do 5s '54	40	38	40	2¾
3 GenSrP&L 5½s'53	45	44	44 —	1
2 ChiRy cod 5s'27	41¼	41¼	41½—	2½
2 CitiesSer 5s '66	64½	64½	64½	....
15 do 5s '50	58¾	58	58⅜	....
1 CitSP&L 5½s'49	56¼	56¼	56¼	1
8 CitSPow 5½s '53	54¼	54¼	54¼—	⅜
3 †ConEdi 4½s'81	108	107⅞	108	3
1 SowA Tel 5s'61A	92	92	92	....
1 SowP S 6s'45A	101½	101½	101½	....
4 †St G&E 6s'35ct	54¼	54	54¼+	⅜
1 †do 6s '35 cv ct	54	54	54	....
2 ConGasUt6s'43st	63¾	63	63	....
15 ContG&E 5s'48A	90	90	90	....
3 †SoCalEd 3¾s'60	104¾	104½	104¾—	⅜
3 †SoCalEd 4½s'81	108	107⅞	108	3
3 †do 3¾s '65H..	106¾	106⅝	106¾—	⅛
2 †ComSb 5½s'48A	103¾	103¾	103¾	....
4 Com P&L 5s'57.	62	62	62	....
2 †ConGBalt 5s'39	107½	107¼	107½+	⅜
2 †ConGasUt6s'43st	63	63	63	....
12 do 6s '66	53¾	53	53	— 1
8 Stand P&L 5s'57	52¾	52¼	52¼	....
3 Tex El S 5s '60.	98	97½	98	+ 1
3 Tex P&L 5s '56.	103¾	103⅜	103½—	⅜
12 Toledo Ed 5s'62	108¾	108	108	— ⅜
14 TwiCRT 5½s'52A	63	63	63	....
3 †Tl-CoSs'50 4thST	40	40	40	....
10 UnitL&Rs 5½s'52	77⅝	77⅝	77⅝—	⅜
4 do 6s '52 A	105¼	105¼	105¼+	⅛
5 Virg PS 5½s'46A	89¼	88⅜	88⅜—	⅜
3 WestNewsU 6s'44	37	36¾	36¾—	2¼
11 WestTexU 5s'57A	86¾	86	86½	....
2 WUG-E 5½s'55A.	104¼	104¼	104¾—	⅜
3 †WiaP&L 4s'66A	93¼	93¼	93¼+	⅜
13 Cauca Val 7s '48	7	7	7	....
5 †ChileMtgB 6s'31	14	14	14 —	⅛
2 Ger CMun 7s'47	20½	20½	20½+	⅛
1 do 6s '47	22	22	22	....
1 IsarcoHydE 7s'52	57½	57½	57½—	½
15 It SupPw 6s'63A	41¾	40⅜	41¾+	1⅜
2 LimaPeru 6½s'58	14	14	14 +	½
1 MendozaP 4s'51st	65¼	65¼	65¼+	⅛
22 Russ 6½sNC '19	⅝	⅝	⅝+	⅛
7 SantiagoChi 7s'49	11⅜	11⅜	11⅜—	⅛
1 do 7s '61	11⅜	11⅜	11⅜—	⅛

†Officially listed on application by the corporation.

x-Ex dividend. xr—Ex rights. ur—Under rule. ww—With warrants. xw—Without warrants. war—Warrants.

‡Matured bonds. Negotiability impaired pending investigation.

PRODUCE MARKETS

EGGS—½ to 1 cent higher; no receipts. BUTTER—Unchanged to ½ cent higher; no receipts. LIVE POULTRY—Unchanged; receipts, 6 trucks. POTATOES—Dull; no receipts. MILK—Grade A, 3.5 per cent butter fat, price paid producers at farm, $2.35 per 100 pounds.

Live Poultry.

Broilers	21@26c	Legh'n hens	12@16c
Fryers	14@24c	Old roosters	15c
Springs	18½@22½c	Ducks	12@23c
Hens	14@22c	Turkeys	18@27c
Geese	12@20½c		

Dressed Poultry.

Turkeys, yng.	21@26c	No. 2 turkeys	19c
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U. S. STEEL PICKS NEW CHIEFS FOR CHICAGO WORKS

Promotions Made by Carnegie-Illinois.

The Carnegie-Illinois Steel corporation yesterday announced the promotion of three Chicago district operating executives in the first of a series of changes resulting from the plan of the parent United States Steel corporation to center active management in Pittsburgh, Pa., instead of New York.

Walter E. Hadley.

Walter E. Hadley, who has been general superintendent of the Carnegie-Illinois company's Gary, Ind., works since February, 1935, was named manager of operations in the Chicago district. He succeeds Walther Mathesius, who earlier this month was elected vice president in charge of production of the new United States Steel corporation of Delaware, the management organization which the parent company on Dec. 9. announced had been created to take over active management of operations.

New York "Rule" Abandoned.

The Delaware corporation's formation was the last step in a ten year reorganization program and it marked the shaking off of the old New York rule of the parent United States Steel corporation of New Jersey.

Hadley, when he succeeds Mathesius as Chicago manager of operations, will turn over his present Gary superintendency to E. E. Moore, who has been general superintendent of the Carnegie-Illinois South works in South Chicago since October, 1935.

E. E. Moore.

B. M. Livezey will succeed Moore as general superintendent of the South works. Livezey has been assistant to the manager of Chicago district operations since February 1937.

Hadley first became connected with the United States Steel organization when he joined the subsidiary National Tube company's plant at McKeesport, Pa. In 1909 he was transferred to the Ensley, Ala., works of the Tennessee Coal, Iron and Railroad company as assistant superintendent of blast furnaces. Later he became president of the Trojan Electric Steel company of Chicago for two years, and in 1918 was appointed assistant general superintendent of the Gary works. He was made superintendent in 1935.

Joined Company in 1919.

Moore, after overseas service in the world war, joined the American Sheet and Tin Plate company in 1919, starting in the Gary sheet mill. American Sheet and Tin now is a part of Carnegie-Illinois.

In 1935 Moore was transferred to the company's Pittsburgh district. He returned to Gary in 1927, becoming assistant general superintendent of the South works of what was then the Illinois Steel company. In 1933 he became assistant to the vice president. He became general superintendent of the South works in 1935, when the Carnegie and Illinois companies were merged.

B. M. Livezey.

Livezey has been with subsidiaries of United States Steel since 1916, starting in the Pittsburgh district. He became superintendent of the Carnegie Steel company's by-product coke plant at Clairton, Pa., in 1926. In 1936 he was appointed assistant general superintendent of the Carnegie-Illinois Clairton plant, and was transferred to Chicago last February.

Practical Men in Control.

The new United States Steel program provides that practical steel men hereafter will have full control of the operations of the subsidiaries of the parent company, world's largest steel company. In the past members of the board of directors, sitting in New York and largely chosen for financial prestige, have exercised control.

Benjamin F. Fairless, president of the parent organization, also will be president of the United States Steel corporation of Delaware, which will have its headquarters in the "steel atmosphere" of Pittsburgh.

Predict U. S. Exports Will Exceed Imports This Year

Washington, D. C., Dec. 24.—(AP)—American tradesmen probably will have sold more goods abroad in 1937 than they will have bought from foreign countries, the United States Chamber of Commerce said today. "Reduced industrial buying of foreign raw materials and more normal crops in this country brought some slowing in important trade in the third quarter," the chamber said.

World's Steel Output Rises to New Record

Cleveland, O., Dec. 24.—(AP)—All former records in world steel production were broken in 1937, the magazine Steel reported today. The output exceeded the previous peak, established in 1936, by 9.41 per cent.

With the possible exception of Spain, for which reliable records were not available, every steel producing nation exceeded its 1936 output, although the United States failed to equal its record year of 1929. Curtailed production schedules in recent months kept this country from establishing a new record, the magazine said.

Estimates World Production.

Total world production was estimated at 133,844,000 tons, compared with 122,331,000 in 1936, and 118,763,000 in 1929. The United States led all nations with 51,609,000 tons, or 38.55 per cent of the world's total. Germany retained first place among foreign producers of steel and pig iron.

World production of pig iron and ferro alloys grossed 102,035,000 tons, exceeding the hundred million mark for the first time.

Per capita consumption in various countries in 1937 was reported as follows: United States, 844 pounds; Belgium-Luvemburg, 829; Germany and Great Britain, 548; France, 318; Japan, 298; Russia, 256; and Italy, 135.

American Concerns Expand.

During the year nineteen American companies authorized expenditure of more than $260,000,000 for expansion and modernization of plants, with fifty-five rolling mills completed and construction started on thirty-five to be completed in 1938.

Largest of the new plants was the 98 inch hot strip mill built by the Republic Steel company at Cleveland; a 96 inch hot mill for Jones & Laughlin at Pittsburgh; and a 93 inch cold strip mill for the Great Lakes Steel corporation, Detroit, a subsidiary of the National Steel corporation.

800 VOTES CAST ON PLAN TO HIKE BROKERAGE FEE

New York, Dec. 24.—[Special.]—Eight hundred members of the New York Stock exchange have voted to date on the proposal to increase commission rates on brokerage transactions to the public, it was announced today.

The remainder of the 1,375 members have until the close of business Wednesday to send in their ballots, but it is estimated that the total voting will not exceed 1,200, which would mean that two-thirds of the ballots already are in. The vote will not be counted until 3 o'clock Wednesday.

The amendment on which the members are balloting would lift commissions by about 11 per cent. It also would establish a minimum charge and a service charge on dormant accounts. If 350 members ballot against an amendment the question must go back to the board of governors.

OIL WELL CLOSING BY U. S. COMPANY WORRIES MEXICO

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MEXICO CITY, Mexico, Dec. 24.—Alarm was felt in official circles here today following the closing of a number of oil wells in the Ebany east coast oilfields, which are controled by the Standard Oil company of New Jersey's subsidiary, Huasteca.

The newspaper Excelsior reported that the closing had led to fear that the company, biggest American company in Mexico, may cease its Mexican operations. The Excelsior also said that Huasteca ordered the removal of all stored oil to Tampico for shipment abroad.

Huasteca in a statement today said it had been closing the wells since September because production has exceeded requirements. The increased wages and other changes ordered by the Mexican labor board will become effective Jan. 3, and Mexico is waiting to see what American and British companies will do.

RAILWAYS OFFER BUYING PROGRAM TO AID INDUSTRY

Washington, D. C., Dec. 24.—[Special.]—A proposal to stimulate industry by a concerted move of railroads to purchase new equipment will be submitted to the directors of the Association of American Railroads when they meet here Thursday, it was learned today.

Railway purchases virtually have ceased since early summer, and business leaders assert that if quick action could be agreed upon by the railroad association the resulting benefits to the steel and other heavy industries might help point the way out of the business recession.

It was reported today that the equipment buying proposal will be placed before the railroad association by Daniel Willard, president of the Baltimore and Ohio. He is expected to urge that the roads make commitments to cover their immediate needs with a view to creating a backlog of orders for industry.

Office Union Signs Pact with Chicago Labor Bank

The Chicago unit of the United Office and Professional Workers of America, affiliate of the C. I. O., reported yesterday that it has signed a new agreement with the Amalgamated Trust and Savings bank, 111 South Dearborn street. The agreement superseded the one in effect during 1937. It provides for a closed shop and pay increases averaging 7 per cent, the union said. The bank is known as a "labor bank."

TRADERS CHANT CAROLS, BUT BUY STOCKS OF WAR

Issues in Aviation Group Climb.

[Chicago Tribune Press Service.]

New York, Dec. 24.—Sharp gains by aviation issues marked an otherwise quiet session on the stock exchange today. The main body of shares continued lower, however, with price swings generally narrow.

Volume for the day declined to 835,160 shares, compared with 1,053,550 shares on Thursday. Interest in the financial district divided between the activity of the tape and the Christmas festivities in the exchange and brokerage houses.

The flurry in the aviation shares occurred shortly before midday. Glenn Martin, Boeing, Douglas, United Aircraft, and Curtiss Wright were prominent in the upswing. The larger gains were made by Boeing, up 2; Douglas, up 1⅛; Consolidated up 1, and Wright Aero, up 3.

General List Irregular.

Year-end adjustment operations caused irregularity in the general market. Leading industrial shares, notably U. S. Steel, Bethlehem, Chrysler, General Motors, and General Electric, were relatively quiet most of the session and showed only minor changes from previous closing prices.

Carrier shares continued depressed. The unfavorable operating statements of individual carriers acted as a dampening influence, according to observers. Atchison gave up more than 1 point, while fractional deficits were scored by Southern Pacific, Union Pacific and Chesapeake and Ohio. A few showed plus signs.

Utility shares held comparatively steady in dull trading. Electric Power and Light, and North American each gained fractions, and several others closed at Thursday's final prices, but the majority eased fractions.

Several Issues in Demand.

Several special issues met demand. Allied Chemical in the chemicals added 1¼ points, but du Pont eased. J. I. Case was a strong spot in the heavy industry shares, rising 1½, but International Harvester and Allis-Chalmers declined.

Merchandising and rubber stocks closed fractionally lower. Communication shares lost up to 1½ points. Oil stocks were buoyant, Texas, Socony-Vacuum, and Barnsdall gaining fractions. Copper shares followed the general pattern and were not much changed from previous finals.

Gold mining stocks were in demand, Dome Mining gaining 1¾ after being 2 points higher early in the day. Homestake Mining and Alaska Juneau also improved.

The holiday spirit was rampant in the street today. It was present on the floor of the stock exchange, where the brokers indulged in their usual holiday antics, as well as in brokerage houses. Although many in the financial district, looking at their earnings statesments for the year, think that Santa Claus forgot to come downtown, the community as a whole finds it easy to get into the spirit of Christmas.

FRANCE REPAYS $200,000,000 RAIL LOAN BY BRITISH

[Copyright: 1937: By the New York Times.]

PARIS, Dec. 24.—Finance Minister Georges Bonnet of France tonight announced completion of repayment of £40,000,000 [$200,000,000] loan made by British banks to the French railroads.

The repayment, he said, was effected by means of foreign currency supplies in the exchange equalization fund, and did not require calling upon the Bank of France's gold reserves. The six billion francs [$200,000,000] in gold set aside as a guaranty for that loan will now return to the French treasury. The fund now reaches the total of 10 billion francs [$340,000,000], Bonnet said.

Christmas Carols in Wall Street

Car loadings, industrial production, price trends, and such gloomy subjects were forgotten for the moment yesterday by traders on the New York Stock exchange when they joined members of the exchange glee club in singing Christmas carols on the trading floor. Shown above are traders crowding around the glee club members (in the foreground) and joining in the singing with holiday enthusiasm.

[TRIBUNE Photo.]

Sighs for Past Era Mark Yule in La Salle St.

La Salle street tried hard to work up a bull market in yuletide cheer yesterday, but the usual pre-Christmas celebrations were not quite as gay as last year when soaring prices and active trading resulted in fatter profits for commission houses and traders as well as bigger bonuses for employés.

Open house was held in many offices during the afternoon, and customers as well as employés celebrated with members of the firms. The Chicago Board of Trade closed at noon, instead of the usual time of 1:15 p. m. Trading in securities was pretty much neglected all day.

Reflects Dullness in Trading.

The subdued character of the La Salle street's yule gatherings was said to reflect the bearishness of the security and commodity markets since late spring. Except during the October crash, trading has been dull and most commission firms have been forced to watch expenses.

Employé bonus payments on the whole were not as large this year as in the past and fewer of the houses made distributions. A few old timers recalled longingly the fat bonuses of the late 1920s, but many of the younger group would have been satisfied with disbursements of a year ago.

At the Board of Trade the 30 foot Christmas tree which stood in the cash market bore an official notice from the floor committee requesting traders to avoid the rowdishness which often in the past had marked the day before Christmas.

Plan New Year's Eve Party.

Officials of the market took precautions to see that the trading was conducted with decorum during the late morning. A New Year's eve party has been planned.

Employés of the exchange received the usual $10 holiday gift and equal shares from a fund contributed by brokers. Continuing a custom started about twenty-five years ago by the late John F. Barret, members of the Board of Trade presented to the Little Sisters of the Poor approximately $2,000 to be used to purchase food for the needy.

The Chicago Stock exchange held its celebration Thursday and the Chicago Mercantile exchange held its annual party Wednesday.

BRAZILIAN DICTATOR TAKES FULL CONTROL OF FOREIGN EXCHANGE

[Chicago Tribune Press Service.]

RIO DE JANEIRO, Brazil, Dec. 24.—President Getulio Vargas of Brazil decreed today full control of foreign exchange, giving the Bank of Brazil a monopoly covering the sales of export drafts and other valuables to be transferred abroad.

The Bank of Brazil is charged with the distribution of the drafts after first covering the government needs. Exchange is to be furnished by the Bank of Brazil in the following order: First, to cover imports and the freight costs of export trade; second, to cover the expenses abroad of foreign public utility companies doing business in Brazil; third, to cover payment of dividends paid abroad, and fourth, to cover other remittances.

The finance minister has been empowered to levy fines and other penalties in order to enforce the law, which is seen as a step, similar to that in Germany and other countries, to husband the Brazilian gold supply against an unfavorable foreign exchange balance.

RUSTLESS IRON'S PROFIT FOR YEAR IS SET AT $711,000

New York, Dec. 24.—[Special.]—C. E. Tuttle, president of the Rustless Iron and Steel corporation, asserted in a letter to stockholders today that net earnings this year probably will be $711,000 before federal taxes. He estimated the tax liability will be about $141,000 in addition to normal and excess profits taxes of $136,000. The estimates were included in a letter accompanying the preferred stock dividend paid to holders of common shares. Stockholders were urged to seek repeal of the surplus tax.

"Obviously, the earnings have been reinvested in labor, materials, working capital, and necessarily increased inventory to take care of increased business, and the earnings can be made available only by borrowing an equivalent amount of money by issuing another class of security," Tuttle wrote. The uncompleted construction program, involving about $250,000, cannot be authorized under the condition outlined, the letter said.

GLASS MAKER SAYS OUTLOOK IS UNCERTAIN

Pittsburgh, Pa., Dec. 24.—[Special.]—The glass industry faces 1938 in an uncertain state, H. Wherrett, president of Pittsburgh Plate Glass company, asserted today in a statement mailed to stockholders. Wherrett added that 1937 started out under favorable auspices for manufacturing and commercial industries of this country.

The upward trend in production and sales continued for several months, when with some suddenness the progress was interrupted, he continued. Then followed a steady decline in activities so that industry closes the year in a much less favorable position than at the beginning.

Willys Auto Sales Total $30,000,000 in Last Year

Toledo, Ohio, Dec. 24.—[Special]—Sales of Willys cars totaled more than $30,000,000 for the first 12 months of operations of Willys-Overland Motors, Inc., which began business Oct. 8, 1936, David R. Wilson, president announced today. The company did not reach volume production until January, said Wilson.

WORLD'S MARKETS CLOSE TODAY

Security and commodity markets in most parts of the world will be closed today. Banks and other financial institutions will transact no business. Domestic markets will resume business Monday, but most British markets will not reopen until Tuesday.

Rail and Air Lines Taxed by Holiday Rush

Most of the important trains in and out of Chicago during the last few days have been running in extra sections to handle a Christmas holiday business which railroad officials said yesterday was larger than a year ago.

The roads this year were helped by the weather. Icy and snow covered roads in large sections of the country caused many motorists to travel by train instead of highway.

The Burlington's northbound Twin Zephyr ran in five extra sections on Thursday and Friday, and in four extra sections southbound. The extra sections were of standard equipment. The Ak-Sar-Ben and the Aristocrat ran in extra sections and other trains carried 2 to 5 extra coaches. The Denver Zephyrs were sold out for some time ahead for Thursday and Friday.

Run Extra Sections East.

The New York Central ran extra sections on its trains connecting Chicago with Cleveland, Detroit and Cincinnati. The Twentieth Century ran in two or three extra sections and the Wolverine, Water Level Limited, and other trains ran in extra sections. The road had more business than last year.

The Milwaukee's Hiawatha was operated in six sections Thursday and Friday. Including the North Woods Hiawatha, it traveled in nine sections. The Chippewa ran in three sections and other trains carried extra Pullmans and special sections.

The Pennsylvania will operate 500 extra sections in the western region over the Christmas and New Year's holidays. The number of passengers now being carried is about 8 per cent more than last year and mail and express is about even. The General, Manhattan, Liberty, Gotham, Southland and Detroit Arrow are running in 25 extra sections divided among them over the Christmas holiday.

Extras on North Western.

The North Western's 400 ran in two extra sections Thursday and Friday. The Ashland limited, Copper Country Express and the Winnebago moved in extra sections, as did the Los Angeles Overland and Pacific Limiteds to the Pacific coast. The Challenger carried extra coaches and sleepers. The principal trains of the Illinois Central were run in extra sections.

Extra sections were flown by planes of the Transcontinental & Western Air Inc., between Chicago and Los Angeles. United Air Lines reported that heavy advance reservations necessitated use of extra planes during the week. The Eastern Air Lines reported heavy holiday trafic in addition to the winter increase in travel to southern resorts.

AUTO OUTPUT LOWER, DUE TO SHUTDOWN FOR CHRISTMAS HOLIDAY

Production of automobiles by American and Canadian factories this week, yesterday was estimated by Ward's Automotive Reports at 67,230 units, against 82,025 last week and 81,482 in the corresponding week last year.

Part of the recession was attributed to customary shutdowns for the Christmas holiday. Ward's also reported that further reduction in production is probable next week because most plants either will be closed or working on curtailed schedules.

The decline in output this week was general throughout the industry. The Ford Motor company's production was estimated at 20,615 units, against 25,115 in the preceding week. General Motors' production was placed at 28,530 units, against 30,642 last week, and Chrysler's production receded to 10,950 units from 15,850 the preceding week.

Holiday Sales Exceed 1936; Wholesale Trade Increases

New York, Dec. 24.—[Special.]—Stiffening resistance to further price concessions on the part of producers has prompted buyers who have been awaiting new attractions to release long pentup orders in the wholesale markets, Dun & Bradstreet, Inc., reported today.

Coincident with the better tone in wholesale fields, and probably in a large measure responsible for the change, the trade journal found that Christmas buying had assumed proportions overshadowing developments in other divisions of trade.

Despite discussion to the contrary, it was asserted, there was little or no sign of reluctance on the part of holiday buyers and virtually no evidence of cautious spending. At all major centers of distribution sales at retail ran fom 10 to 30 per cent ahead of the 1936 season.

Gain Is Smaller for Entire U. S.

However, gains over the corresponding period last year, when extra dividends, bonuses and rising pay rolls were potent influences for expansion, averaged from only 2 to 10 per cent for the country as a whole. In New England the average increase over 1936 ran from 2 to 5 per cent, while for the east as a whole the volume of sales ranged from 4 to 14 per cent ahead of the 1936 pace.

In the middle west sharp contraction in cities in major industrial centers, where sales ran from 5 to 12 per cent below last year, reduced the average for the area to levels 3 to 10 per cent above a year ago.

In the industrial field basis for improvement was found in the fact that for the first time in months the number of indices which advanced equaled the number that declined. Electric Power output topped the preceding week for the third succesive period, but the decline from under a year ago deepened to 3.3 per cent, making the third time in the last four weeks that it has been under 1936.

Coal Makes First Rise.

Bituminous coal production, on the other hand, recorded its first rise in four weeks, a gain of 23.9 per cent, while crude oil production again increased by an average of 25,400 barrels daily.

Sharp curtailment of inventories during recent weeks is now looked upon as paving the way for revision upward of estimates of January activity in wholesale trade.

Orders for off-price and promotional goods are being counted on to lift volume in the initial half of January, while demand for spring apparel is expected to bolster the latter part of the month, though the peak of such buying, due to the lateness of Easter, probably will be deferred until well into February.

N. Western's Income Falls in November

The Chicago and North Western railroad yesterday reported a decline in November net operating income to $166,663 from $1,125,724 in the same month last year. November gross revenues receded to $7,093,549 from $7,556,266.

Freight revenues for the month fell to $5,505,420, but passenger revenues increased to $863,620 from $836,774. Almost all classes of expenses increased. Expenses amounted to 87.1 per cent of revenues, compared with 75.3 per cent in November a year ago.

Gross revenues for the first eleven months of this year were $83,102,476, against $84,264,538 in the corresponding 1936 period, and net operating income was $121,544, against $4,419,199.

New York Central Earns Less.

The New York Central reported November net income before depreciation of $3,187,349, compared with $6,386,002 in the corresponding month a year ago. Net operating income for the month was $1,826,677, after depreciation, a decline of $3,200,428 from net operating income of $5,027,105 in the same 1936 month.

The Great Northern railway reported net income for November, after deductions for interest and other fixed charges, of $415,764, compared with $337,633 for November, 1936. Net income for the first eleven months of this year was $9,215,999, compared with $6,670,062 for the first eleven months of 1936.

Wabash Income Declines.

The Wabash railroad reported November net operating income of $258,122, against $710,222 in the same 1936 month. Gross revenues for November were $3,611,069, against $3,991,671. Gross revenues for eleven months ended Nov. 30 were $42,550,047, against $41,914,653 for the same period last year, and net operating income declined to $3,839,394 from $5,069,131.

The Wheeling and Lake Erie railroad had November net income of $121,790, against $369,972 in the same 1936 month. Net income for eleven months ended Nov. 30 was $3,780,656, compared with $3,227,415 in the corresponding 1936 period.

Net operating incomes reported yesterday included the following:

NOVEMBER	1937.	1936.
Ann Arbor	$ 17,057	$ 50,717
Frisco	1,813	616,266
M. & St. L.	167,012	83,183
Wabash	258,122	710,222
Whl. & Lake E.	161,812	415,729
North Western	166,663	1,125,724
ELEVEN MONTHS ENDED NOV. 30		
Ann Arbor	$ 284,273	$ 361,445
Frisco	4,995,964	4,561,687
Wabash	3,839,394	5,069,131
Whl. & Lake E.	4,780,650	3,227,415
North Western	121,544	4,419,199

MORE COMPANIES GIVE EMPLOYES HOLIDAY BONUS

More holiday bonus distributions were announced yesterday. The Waltham Watch company paid $73.56 to each of 1,000 workers who have been employed by the company one year or longer. Approximately 800 employés of the Dodge Manufacturing company received $10 gift checks.

Newkirk & Co., investment company, paid a bonus of one month's salary to all employés. The Gruman Aircraft Engineering corporation distributed $37,500 to employés. Approximately 100 employés of W. J. Dennis & Co. received a bonus of one week's salary. One week's extra salary was paid to all employés of the Autopoint company who have been employed by the company six months or more.

The Loftis Jewelry company, which operates four stores in Chicago and five in other cities, announced the payment of a bonus of one week's salary to employés who have served a year or more.

CAPITOL BLDG. CLEARS TAXES, DECREE REVEALS

With the signing of the final decree of reorganization of the Capitol building, at State and Randolph, by Federal Judge Charles E. Woodward, it was learned that all back taxes on the property, amounting to $270,120, have been paid and a $100,000 fund set aside to provide for the 1937 taxes when due.

According to Joseph Solari, attorney and president of the new Capitol Building company, which owns the twenty-three story building, a $450,000 loan was negotiated with the Equitable Life Assurance society for five years at 4½ per cent. This loan will provide for the tax payments and other reorganization expenses.

Ten shares of stock in the new Capitol Building company were exchanged with bondholders for every $1,000 bond. The stockholders of the A. H. L. Building corporation, former owner of the equity, received certificates of indebtedness.

Westinghouse Electric Co. Will Move Radio Division

Springfield, Mass., Dec. 24.—(AP)—Westinghouse Electric and Manufacturing company announced today its radio division at Chicopee Falls, Mass., will be moved to Baltimore. The department will be installed in a plant on the main highway to Washington, about four miles from the center of Baltimore. With completion of an office building, transfer of employés and their families will be arranged and completed within the next six months, the company said. At the Chicopee Falls plant the company will continue to manufacture other equipment, it was announced.

$5,720,085 New Municipal Financing Slated for Week

New York, Dec. 24.—(AP)—New financing scheduled for next week by 52 municipalities totals $5,720,085, compared with the revised total of $12,103,745 for the last week, the Daily Bond Buyer said today. The weekly average of new offerings for the year to date stands at $23,554,449.

REPORT BALL TRIES TO REGAIN RAIL CONTROL

Believed Buying In Alleghany Corp.

New York, Dec. 24.—[Special.]—George A. Ball, former owner of the controling interest in Alleghany corporation, which ruled the Van Sweringen railroad system, is seeking to regain control of Alleghany, it was reported today.

It is understood that the Muncie, Ind., financier who sold his Midamerica corporation holdings, comprising Alleghany control, through the Ball Foundation, to the Young-Kirby-Kolbe syndicate early this year, has been strengthening his position through the acquisition of Alleghany stocks and bonds. However, dispatches from Muncie carried Ball's denial.

Vote Privilege Limited.

Under the terms of the change of control 1,200,000 shares of Alleghany common are pledged as collateral for a two year note for $2,300,000 held by the Ball Foundation and can be voted by Robert R. Young as head of the syndicate in all ordinary matters but cannot be voted for any purpose that might be detrimental to the Ball Foundation.

That Young and Allan Kirby may be planning to take up this note and release this stock was indicated by the recent arrangement whereby Mrs. Young, wife of the Alleghany chairman, granted Bancamerica-Blair an option on a block of 100,000 shares of the stock pledged behind the notes held by the Ball Foundation and by Allan Kirby for money advanced to Young and Kolbe to make up their share of the $700,000 originally paid as their portion of the original purchase.

Change in Ownership.

Liquidation of Frank F. Kolbe's syndicate holdings last month brought a change in ownership of about 13 per cent of the syndicate holding, although, until a call has been placed on the option, the only actual change is the transfer of 55,000 shares of common, with the preferred and bond holdings of Kolbe which were purchased by Walter W. Foskett for the Seaboard company, a Bahama corporation.

The syndicate holdings, therefore, amounted to about 41 per cent after this transfer, which would seem to give the present chairman control of Alleghany corporation.

However, it is said that there are several ways in which Ball, together with the Cleveland and Chicago minority interests reported to be connected with him, could acquire control. Among these methods is a change in the amount of outstanding stock of Alleghany, which would have to be approved by stockholders rather than the directorate. In such a case the Ball foundation would undoubtedly vote the 1,200,000 shares and could authorize an additional issue which the Ball interests might be better able to purchase than the present controling interests.

WHEELER PLANS NEW PROGRAM TO STABILIZE RAILS

Washington, D. C., Dec. 24.—[Special.]—A plan designed to "stabilize" the nation's railroads will be put before President Roosevelt soon by Senator Burton K. Wheeler [Dem., Mont.], the senator said today.

Wheeler, who is chairman of the senate interstate commerce committee which has been investigating the railroads, said his proposals will be based on the committee's findings. He did not indicate what would be proposed, but said he would call on the President to "see if we can't work out some constructive legislation." Recently Wheeler said it might be necessary to broaden the powers of the interstate commerce commission so that it could force coordination and consolidation of railroads.

Waukegan Plant Election Attacked by C. I. O. Union

Although the election was held by the national labor relations board at the Griess-Pfleger Tanning company in Waukegan, a protest that it was unfairly conducted was filed with the board yesterday by the United Tannery Workers' union, a C. I. O. group. Employés chose the Waukegan Lether Workers' union by ballot on Thursday. The election was part of an agreement which settled a labor dispute last May, when the company discharged several employés. The C. I. O. union charged the rival group was given privileges denied to itself.

2 Commodity Exchange Seats Sold; 1 Brings $1,137

New York, Dec. 24.—[Special.]—Two Commodity exchange memberships were sold today, one changing hands for $1,137.50 after an earlier sale of a seat for $1,100. Yesterday a membership sold for $1,025.

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Stocks, Bonds

New York Bonds.

New York, Dec. 24.—(AP)—United States government issues recorded further gains today as other sections of the bond market showed irregularities. Evening up traders' accounts for the holiday apparently brought some selling in various speculative ratings. Low yield corporates remained firm.

The top gain in the federal guaranteed list was made by Home Owners Loan corporation 3s which ended 11-32ds higher. In the treasury issues gains ranged from 2-32ds to 5-32ds.

Off fractions to a point or more were Alleghany 5s, 1949, at 65¼; Baltimore and Ohio 4½s at 34½; International Telephone 5s at 64¼; Western Union 5s at 61¼, and Nickel Plate 4½s at 64½. On the upside were New Haven 6s, 1940, Studebaker 6s, Pennsylvania general 4½s and American Water Works 6s.

Most foreign issues had support at higher levels. Loans of Brazil, Cuba and Poland improved a point or more.

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Chicago Stocks.

Stocks moved irregularly lower in quiet trading on the Chicago exchange yesterday. Most price changes were held to minor fractions of a point and sales dwindled to 23,000 shares from 34,000 the preceding week. Only 79 issues were traded, of which 16 advanced, 32 declined, and 31 closed unchanged.

General Household Utilities, most active issue, advanced ⅛ to 2⅛, and Electric Household Utilities, also actively traded, closed unchanged at 3. Middle West capital stock eased ⅛ to 5⅜. Commonwealth Edison closed ⅛ lower at 26½.

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Bank Stocks.

Chicago bank stocks were irregular this week. Continental Illinois National bank stocks rose from a low of 82 to a high of 100, closing at 98 bid, 100 asked, up 15 for the week. First National gained 9 points, closing at 208 bid, 212 asked. Harris Trust and City National each gained 5 points.

Northern Trust closed 10 points lower, ex dividend of $4.50. Merchandise National lost 5 points.

CHICAGO.

[Nominal quotations.]

	Yesterday. Bid.	Ask.	Thursday. Bid.	Ask.
American National	170	185	170	180
Chicago Title	140	143	138	142
City National	105	110	105	110
Continental Illinois	98	100	97	98⅛
First National	208	212	208	212
Harris Trust	280	300	280	290
Lake Shore Trust	57	62	55	60
Mercantile Trust	140	150	140	146
Merchandise	170	180	172	180
National Bld	170	180	175	185
National Builders	60	70	55	65
Northern Trust	490	500	490	500
Personal Loan	140	145	140	144
Terminal National	23	27	20	25

NEW YORK.

	Bid.	Ask.
Bk of Am	43	45
Bk of Man	20½	22
Bankers T	45½	47½
Bklyn Tr.	74	79
Cen HB&T	85	88
Chase Nat	30	32
Chem B&T	41	43
Co'mercial	130	136
Cont B&Tr	10½	12
CornEB&T	49½	50¼
Empire Tr	21	22
1st N [B]	34½	36¾
First Natl	1730	1770
Guar Tr	220	225
Irving Tr	10¾	11⅝
Manuf Tr	34½	36½
Natl City	25½	27
Pub Nat	40½	43½
N Y Trust	80¾	92½
Public	28¾	30¼
Title G&T	6¼	7¼

WHAT STOCKS DID

[Friday, Dec. 24, 1937.]

TRIBUNE AVERAGES.

	High.	Low.	Close.	Net chge.
25 railroads	24.18	23.88	24.00	—.22
25 industrials	158.21	156.31	157.05	—.12
50 stocks	91.19	90.09	90.52	—.17

ASSOCIATED PRESS AVERAGES.

	30 indus.	15 rails.	15 util.	60 stks.
Net change	—.1	—.3	—.3	—.2
Friday	64.3	20.9	33.3	45.6
Previous day	64.4	21.2	33.6	45.8
Month ago	60.1	20.5	34.0	43.6
Year ago	94.6	37.4	51.0	69.3
1937 high	101.6	49.5	54.0	75.3
1937 low	57.7	19.3	31.6	41.7
1936 high	99.3	43.5	53.7	72.8
1936 low	73.4	30.2	43.4	55.7
1932 low	17.5	8.7	23.9	16.9
1929 high	146.9	153.9	184.3	157.7
1927 low	51.6	95.3	61.8	61.8

DOW-JONES AVERAGES.

	High.	Low.	Close.	chge.	Net
30 industrials	128.60	126.85	127.36	—.27	
20 railroads	31.71	31.35	31.49	—.27	
20 utilities	21.46	21.09	21.17	—.14	
70 stocks	42.93	42.34	42.52	—.17	

ISSUES TRADED.

	Fri.	Thurs.
Advances	220	141
Declines	342	525
Unchanged	233	184
Total issues	795	850
New 1937 highs	1	1
New 1937 lows	20	40

CHICAGO STOCK AVERAGE.

	High.	Low.	Close.	Net chge.
20 stocks	9.89	9.76	9.82	+.04

MONEY, GOLD, AND SILVER

NEW YORK, Dec. 24. — (AP) — Call money steady: 1% till day. Prime commercial paper, 1%. Time loans steady: 60-90 days, 1¼%; 4-6 months, 1⅛%. Bankers' acceptances unchanged. Rediscount rate, New York Reserve bank, 1%. Bar silver, 44½¢ per oz, unchanged.

Foreign Markets.

LONDON, Dec. 24.—(AP)—Bar gold declined ½ penny. [Sterling price equivalent to $34.89.] Money, ½%. Discount rates: Short bills, ⅜@⅝%; 3 month bills, ⅝%. Bar silver, 18 3/16d, off 1/16d. [Sterling price equivalent to 41.47 cents.]

PARIS, Dec. 24.—(AP)—Closing United States dollars were quoted today at 29f 45c [3,396 [3.396 cents to the franc]. Exchange on cents to the franc]. Exchange on London, 149 f 19c. In the Bourse, 3% rentes were quoted 69f 45c; 4½s "A" 75 f 15c; 4½s 1937, 102 f 80c.

MONTREAL, Dec. 24.—(AP)—Silver futures closed unchanged to 30 points off.

	Sales.	High.	Low.	Close.
December	9	42.00	42.00	40.95

Foreign Exchange.

[Quotations in American cents.]

	Dec. 24.	Dec. 23.	Wk. ago.	Yr. ago.
London	499.75	499.81½	499.75	491.25
Paris	3.39⅝	3.39⅝	3.39½	4.67¼
Italy	5.26½	5.26¼	5.26½	5.26½
Belgium	16.97	16.96¾	16.99	16.88
Switzerld.	23.13	23.13	23.13	22.99
Holland	55.60	55.60	55.62	54.76
Denmark	22.32	22.32	22.32	21.94
Sweden	25.77	25.77	25.77	25.33
Norway	25.12	25.12	25.12	24.68
Germany	40.30⅜	40.30	40.30	40.24
†Do	21.40	21.40	21.55	.....
‡Do	25.75	25.75	25.90	.....
Austria	*18.93	*18.93	*18.94	*18.73
Poland	18.98	18.98	18.98	18.94
Greece	.02	.02	.02½	.00¼
Rumania	.75	.75	.75	.75
Jugo-Slav.	2.35	2.35	2.35	2.34
Czecho-Sl.	3.51½	3.51½	3.51½	3.50¼
Finland	2.22	2.22	2.22	2.17
Canada	99.85⅜	99.89⅛	99.95⅛	100.08
Argentina	29.40	29.40	29.35	30.75
Do ofc	*33.32	*33.32	*33.33	.....
Brazil	*5.50	*5.50	*5.55	*8.80¼
Hongkong	31.30	31.30	31.27	30.67
Shanghai	29.60	29.60	29.60	29.65
Japan	29.11	29.11	29.12	28.58
India	37.74	37.74	37.74	37.16
Chile	4.15	4.15	4.15	5.30
Hungary	19.80	19.90	19.90	19.80
Mexico	27.80	27.80	27.80	27.88

*Nominal. †Registered. ‡Travel.

CHICAGO CURB.

	Sales.	High.	Low.	Close.	Prev. close.
AlldBr&DC inc	100	.27	.27	.27	.28
Campana Gold	200	.27	.27	.27	.28
Dick Bros B C	300	.52	.52	.52	.52
Frk Fehr B C	100	.45	.45	.45	.45
Heidelbg B C	100	.41	.41	.41	.40
Inc Inv vtc	40	16.50	16.50	16.50	16.20

NEW YORK STOCK TRANSACTIONS

Friday, December 24, 1937.
Shares sold today.....835,160
Year ago.....Holiday

Friday, December 24, 1937.
Total sales 1937 to date.....401,556,405
Total sales 1936 to date.....487,775,109

[The figure in brackets after name of stock is annual dividend rate.]

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—1937— High.	Low.	Description. div. rate, $—	Sales in 100s.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Net chge.
22⅝	7⅛	Adams Exp [.60g]	21	9⅝	9½	9⅝	9⅝	....
28⅝	17½	Adams-Millis [2a]	1	19⅝	19⅝	19⅝	19⅝+	⅛
36	16¼	Addressog [1.40]	4	20	20⅝	20	20⅛+	⅜
80½	44½	Air Reducts [1a]	6	53½	53⅝	53	53⅜+	⅛
5¼	⅛	Air-Way El Appl	2	1	⅛	⅛	⅛—	⅛
15⅝	8	Alaska Jun [.60a]	7	11½	11½	11⅛	11⅜+	⅛
5⅜	1	Alleghany Corp	21	1¼	1⅛	1¼	1⅜+	⅛
59⅜	11	Do pfd $30 ww	7	16⅜	16⅜	16¼	16¼—	⅜
52¼	10½	Do pr pfd	4	16½	16½	16¼	16¼—	1
45⅝	13	Allegh Steel [1.60]	3	17¼	17¼	17⅛	17⅛+	⅛
258½	145	Al Chem&Dye [6a]	5	168	169	168	169 +	1¼
17⅜	8½	Allied Kid [1a]	1	8¾	8¾	8¾	8¾—	....
33½	10	Allied Mills [2g]	8	12	12	12	12 —	⅛
21⅞	6¾	Allied Stre [.20a]	44	7⅛	7⅛	7	7⅜+	⅛
83½	34	Allis-ChMf [3.50g]	45	51½	51½	49¼	49⅞—	1⅝
39¾	8½	Alpha P Cem [1]	1	12⅜	12⅜	12⅜	12⅜—	⅝
8⅞	1¼	Amal Leather	5	2⅜	2⅜	2¼	2¼	....
52¼	19	Do pfd [3] cash	2	21¼	21¼	21¼	21¼	....
114⅞	51⅜	Amerada Corp [2]	11	61	61	60	60 —	⅝
41⅜	10	Am Bk Note [1e]	7	12⅜	12½	12¼	12¾—	⅛
80¾	28	Am Br Shoe [3.40g]	17	45½	46	45	45 —	1
121	72½	Am Can [4]	10	74	75¼	74	74¾+	⅝
174	151⅞	Do pfd [7]	1	167	167	167	167 +	1⅝
71	15¼	Am Car &Fy [.25g]	9	26⅜	27	26½	26½—	⅛
104½	36	Do pfd [4g]	1	47	47	47	47 —	¼
33⅜	11⅛	Am Ch&Cbi [1.50g]	4	16½	16½	16½	16½—	⅛
23⅜	5¼	Am Colortype	2	6⅞	6⅞	6⅞	6⅞+	⅜
20¼	9¼	Bayuk Cigar [.75a]	2	10⅜	10⅜	10⅜	10⅜—	⅛
38⅜	13¾	Beatrice Cr'm [1a]	2	15	15	15	15	....
15⅜	7⅜	Belding-Hem [1]	4	7¾	7¾	7¾	7¾+	⅛
30½	8¼	Bendix Aviat [1]	27	12	12⅜	12	12¼	....
23⅜	15	Benef Ind Ln [2g]	2	16⅞	16⅞	16⅞	16⅞—	⅛
62⅜	31⅝	Best & Co [2.50a]	4	32	32	31⅝	31⅝—	⅝
10⅝	41	Beth Steel [5e]...102		61¼	62⅜	61	62⅜+	⅛
20	14	Do 5% pfd [1]		1	15	15	15 +	⅜
129½	85½	Do 7% pfd [7]		3	93½	93½	93 —	1¼
60¾	23	Bigelow-San[3.50g]		1	33½	33½	23⅜	....
38	13¾	Black & Deck [1a]		3	13⅝	13⅝	13⅝—	⅛
29⅞	9	Blaw-Knox [1.20g]		7	12	12	12½+	⅛
49¾	16	Boeing Air [.40g]		118	31¼	33⅜	31½	33¼+	2
48⅜	21	Bohn Al & Br [4g]		5	25½	25⅝	25⅝	25⅝—	⅛
25	12	Bond Strs [1.60]		11	12	12	12 —	¼
28	16⅜	Borden Co [1.60]		20	16⅞	17	16⅞	16⅞—	⅜
50⅝	24¼	Borg-Warner [2a]		17	25¼	25⅝	25¼	25⅝+	⅛
15⅝	3	Boston & Maine		3	3⅞	3⅝	3⅝	3⅝	....
35⅜	17⅜	Bower R B [3.50g]		1	17½	17½	17½	17½+	⅛
23¼	7	Bridgep't Br [.75g]		5	8	8	8¼	8¼+	⅛
59⅞	18	Briggs Mfg [4g]		22	20½	20½	20⅝	20½	....
53½	25	Briggs&Str [3.50g]		1	25¼	25¼	25¼	25¼+	⅛
8	1	Bklyn & Qu Trans		3	1⅝	1⅝	1⅝	1⅝	....
38½	6½	Do pfd			9	6⅝	6⅝	6⅝	....
53	8	Bklyn-Manh Trans		19	8	8⅛	8	8⅛+	⅛
102¾	24½	Do pfd [6]		3	24½	24½	24½	24½—	⅝
52⅝	18⅞	BklynU Gas [1.60]		8	19	19⅛	18⅞	18⅞—	⅛
25¼	6½	Bucyrus-Erie [.75g]		9	8	8	7⅞	7⅞—	⅛
117⅛	76½	†Do 7% pfd [7].0.20			76¼	76¼	76¼	76¾—	2
14⅜	2¼	Budd Mfg			35	4⅜	4⅜	4⅜	....
98	35	†Do pfd			0.50	42½	42½	42	42 —	3
13	2½	Budd Wheel [.20g]		4	3⅞	3⅞	3⅞	3⅞—	⅛
65½	26	Bulova Watch [4a]		4	29	29	29	29½+	⅜
18⅝	5⅜	Burling Mills [1]		10	7	7¼	7	7¼+	⅛
35⅝	15	Burr Add Mch [1a]		12	17¼	17¼	17½	17¼	....
11⅜	1⅜	Bush Terminal		1	2¼	2¼	2¼	2¼—	⅛
18⅛	5½	Butler Bros [.60]		5	7⅜	7⅜	7¼	7⅜	....
36½	16⅜	Do pfd [1.50]		1	18½	18½	18⅜	18¾+	⅛
29	7⅛	Am Seafg [1.25g]		1	10¼	10¼	10¼	10¼	....
58	24½	†Am ShpBlg [2a].1.50			28½	28½	28½	28½	....
105⅝	41	Am Sm & R [5g]		31	43½	43¾	43¼	40½—	1¾
154	122	Do pfd [7]		3	126⅞	126⅞	126	126	....
73¾	22¾	Am Sil Fdrs [2]		35	34	34⅝	33⅜	34¾+	⅝
20½	8¼	Am Stores		3	8⅝	8⅝	8¼	8⅝	....
57⅞	24⅛	Am Sugar Ref [2]		6	25	25	24½	24½—	⅜
143⅜	104⅞	Do pfd [7]		1	106⅞	106⅞	106⅞	106⅞+	⅝
187	140	Am Tel & Tel [9]		12	147½	147½	147¼	147¾—	⅝
99	60¼	Am Tobacco [5]		2	60⅝	60⅝	60⅝	60⅝—	¼
90⅜	61⅞	Do B [5]			62	62	61⅝	61⅝—	⅜
150½	123⅝	Do pfd [6]		1	139	139	139	139	....
20⅛	4¼	Am Type Fdrs		10	6¼	6⅛	6	6⅛—	⅛
29⅛	8	Am Wt Wks [.80]		22	12½	12½	12¼	12⅜	....
14⅜	3⅛	Am Woolen		1	4¼	4¼	4¼	4½	....
79	25⅛	Do pfd		1	27¼	27½	27	27	....
20	3¼	Am Zinc L & S		3	5⅝	5⅝	5⅝	5⅝+	⅛
69¼	8½	Anaconda [1.75g]		98	32⅜	32⅝	32	32⅛—	⅛
97	39	Anacon W&C [4a]		1	48	48	48	48	....
46	24½	Arch-Dan-M [2]		5	25	25	24½	24½—	⅝
13⅜	4⅝	Arm Ill [.70g]		23	5⅝	5⅝	5⅝	5½	....
70½	30	Armstr'gCo [2.50g]		9	38	38	37⅝	37¾+	⅛
17⅞	2⅜	Artloom Corp		2	3½	3½	3½	3½—	⅛
24⅜	6⅝	Assd Dry Goods		7	7	7	6⅝	6⅝	....
57½	33	Associates Inv [$a]		13	33¼	33¼	33	33	....
106	71⅜	†Do pfd ww [5].0.10			73	73	73	73	....
94⅜	32⅞	Atch T & SF [2g]		18	38⅞	39¼	38½	38⅝—	1⅛
104	69	Do pfd [5]			2	69	70	69	70	....
55½	18	Atl Cst Line[1.50g]		3	25½	25½	25¼	25¼—	⅛
29	5	Atl G & W Indies		3	5⅜	5⅜	5	5 —	⅛
37	18	Atl Refining [1]		22	19⅝	19⅝	19¼	19¼—	⅜
18½	7⅝	Atlas Corp [.80]		13	8⅜	8⅜	8⅛	8⅜+	⅛
52⅝	30¼	Do pfd [3]			1	41¼	41¼	41¼	....
94	38	Atlas Pow [3.75g]		2	45	45	45	45 —	½
18¼	4¼	Atlas Tack [.50g]		2	5¼	5¼	5¼	5¼—	⅛
36¾	3¼	Auburn Auto		8	3¾	3¾	3⅝	3⅝—	⅛
9¼	2¼	Aviation Corp		37	3⅝	4	3⅝	3⅝+	⅛

B

23⅜	5	Baldwin Loco ct	28	8½	8⅝	8½	8½	....
40½	8¼	Balt & Ohio	27	11	11⅛	11	11⅜—	⅛
17⅜	10	Do pfd	7	13⅜	14	13⅜	14	....
45	30	Bangor & Ar [2.50]	1	32	32	32	32	....
32	8½	Barker Bros [.75g]	2	9¼	9¼	9¼	9¼—	⅜
35⅛	10	Barnsdall Oil [1]	18	13⅜	14	13⅜	14 +	⅜
20¼	9¼	Bayuk Cigar [.75a]	2	10⅜	10⅜	10⅜	10⅜—	⅛
38⅜	13¾	Beatrice Cr'm [1a]	2	15	15	15	15	....
15⅜	7⅜	Belding-Hem [1]	4	7¾	7¾	7¾	7¾+	⅛
30½	8¼	Bendix Aviat [1]	27	12	12⅜	12	12¼	....
23⅜	15	Benef Ind Ln [2g]	2	16⅞	16⅞	16⅞	16⅞—	⅛
62⅜	31⅝	Best & Co [2.50a]	4	32	32	31⅝	31⅝—	⅝
10⅝	41	Beth Steel [5e]...102		61¼	62⅜	61	62⅜+	⅛
20	14	Do 5% pfd [1]		1	15	15	15 +	⅜
129½	85½	Do 7% pfd [7]		3	93½	93½	93 —	1¼
60¾	23	Bigelow-San[3.50g]		1	33½	33½	23⅜	....
38	13¾	Black & Deck [1a]		3	13⅝	13⅝	13⅝	13⅝—	⅛
29⅞	9	Blaw-Knox [1.20g]		7	12	12	12½	12½+	⅛
49¾	16	Boeing Air [.40g]		118	31¼	33⅜	31½	33¼+	2
48⅜	21	Bohn Al & Br [4g]		5	25½	25⅝	25⅝	25⅝—	⅛
25	12	Bond Strs [1.60]		11	12	12	12	12 —	¼
28	16⅜	Borden Co [1.60]		20	16⅞	17	16⅞	16⅞—	⅜
50⅝	24¼	Borg-Warner [2a]		17	25¼	25⅝	25¼	25⅝+	⅛
15⅝	3	Boston & Maine		3	3⅞	3⅝	3⅝	3⅝	....
35⅜	17⅜	Bower R B [3.50g]		1	17½	17½	17½	17½+	⅛
23¼	7	Bridgep't Br [.75g]		5	8	8	8¼	8¼+	⅛
59⅞	18	Briggs Mfg [4g]		22	20½	20½	20⅝	20½	....
53½	25	Briggs&Str [3.50g]		1	25¼	25¼	25¼	25¼+	⅛
8	1	Bklyn & Qu Trans		3	1⅝	1⅝	1⅝	1⅝	....
38½	6½	Do pfd			9	6⅝	6⅝	6⅝	....
53	8	Bklyn-Manh Trans		19	8	8⅛	8	8⅛+	⅛
102¾	24½	Do pfd [6]		3	24½	24½	24½	24½—	⅝
52⅝	18⅞	BklynU Gas [1.60]		8	19	19⅛	18⅞	18⅞—	⅛
25¼	6½	Bucyrus-Erie [.75g]		9	8	8	7⅞	7⅞—	⅛
117⅛	76½	†Do 7% pfd [7].0.20			76¼	76¼	76¼	76¾—	2
14⅜	2¼	Budd Mfg			35	4⅜	4⅜	4⅜	....
98	35	†Do pfd			0.50	42½	42½	42	42 —	3
13	2½	Budd Wheel [.20g]		4	3⅞	3⅞	3⅞	3⅞—	⅛
65½	26	Bulova Watch [4a]		4	29	29	29	29½+	⅜
18⅝	5⅜	Burling Mills [1]		10	7	7¼	7	7¼+	⅛
35⅝	15	Burr Add Mch [1a]		12	17¼	17¼	17½	17¼	....
11⅜	1⅜	Bush Terminal		1	2¼	2¼	2¼	2¼—	⅛
18⅛	5½	Butler Bros [.60]		5	7⅜	7⅜	7¼	7⅜	....
36½	16⅜	Do pfd [1.50]		1	18½	18½	18⅜	18¾+	⅛
29	7⅛	Am Seafg [1.25g]		1	10¼	10¼	10¼	10¼	....
58	24½	†Am ShpBlg [2a].1.50			28½	28½	28½	28½	....
105⅝	41	Am Sm & R [5g]		31	43½	43¾	43¼	40½—	1¾
154	122	Do pfd [7]		3	126⅞	126⅞	126	126	....
73¾	22¾	Am Sil Fdrs [2]		35	34	34⅝	33⅜	34¾+	⅝
20½	8¼	Am Stores		3	8⅝	8⅝	8¼	8⅝	....
57⅞	24⅛	Am Sugar Ref [2]		6	25	25	24½	24½—	⅜
143⅜	104⅞	Do pfd [7]		1	106⅞	106⅞	106⅞	106⅞+	⅝
187	140	Am Tel & Tel [9]		12	147½	147½	147¼	147¾—	⅝
99	60¼	Am Tobacco [5]		2	60⅝	60⅝	60⅝	60⅝—	¼
90⅜	61⅞	Do B [5]			62	62	61⅝	61⅝—	⅜
150½	123⅝	Do pfd [6]		1	139	139	139	139	....
20⅛	4¼	Am Type Fdrs		10	6¼	6⅛	6	6⅛—	⅛
29⅛	8	Am Wt Wks [.80]		22	12½	12½	12¼	12⅜	....
14⅜	3⅛	Am Woolen		1	4¼	4¼	4¼	4½	....
79	25⅛	Do pfd		1	27¼	27½	27	27	....
20	3¼	Am Zinc L & S		3	5⅝	5⅝	5⅝	5⅝+	⅛
69¼	8½	Anaconda [1.75g]		98	32⅜	32⅝	32	32⅛—	⅛
97	39	Anacon W&C [4a]		1	48	48	48	48	....
46	24½	Arch-Dan-M [2]		5	25	25	24½	24½—	⅝
13⅜	4⅝	Arm Ill [.70g]		23	5⅝	5⅝	5⅝	5½	....
70½	30	Armstr'gCo [2.50g]		9	38	38	37⅝	37¾+	⅛
17⅞	2⅜	Artloom Corp		2	3½	3½	3½	3½—	⅛
24⅜	6⅝	Assd Dry Goods		7	7	7	6⅝	6⅝	....
57½	33	Associates Inv [$a]		13	33¼	33¼	33	33	....
106	71⅜	†Do pfd ww [5].0.10			73	73	73	73	....
94⅜	32⅞	Atch T & SF [2g]		18	38⅞	39¼	38½	38⅝—	1⅛
104	69	Do pfd [5]			2	69	70	69	70	....
55½	18	Atl Cst Line[1.50g]		3	25½	25½	25¼	25¼—	⅛
29	5	Atl G & W Indies		3	5⅜	5⅜	5	5 —	⅛
37	18	Atl Refining [1]		22	19⅝	19⅝	19¼	19¼—	⅜
18½	7⅝	Atlas Corp [.80]		13	8⅜	8⅜	8⅛	8⅜+	⅛
52⅝	30¼	Do pfd [3]		1	41¼	41¼	41¼	41¼	....
94	38	Atlas Pow [3.75g]		2	45	45	45	45 —	½
18¼	4¼	Atlas Tack [.50g]		2	5¼	5¼	5¼	5¼—	⅛
36¾	3¼	Auburn Auto		8	3¾	3¾	3⅝	3⅝—	⅛
9¼	2¼	Aviation Corp		37	3⅝	4	3⅝	3⅝+	⅛

C

48⅛	19⅞	CalifPack [1.50a]	6	20	20	19⅞	20	....
6⅛	1	Callahan Z-Lead	35		1⅝	1⅝	1⅝	....
20⅛	4	Calumet&H[1.10g]	19		7⅞	7⅞	7⅞	....
37⅞	10½	CampbellWyan[1a]	5		12½	12⅜	12	⅛
38¼	9½	Can Dry G Ale	9		15¼	15½	15	15¼—	¾
17⅞	6⅞	Canad Pacific	15		7⅞	7⅞	7⅞	7⅞	....
61½	28	Cannon Mills [2]	2		28½	28½	28¼	28½—	⅛
18½	5¼	CapitalAdA [.50g]	4		5¼	5¼	5¼	5½	....
35⅝	13½	CarpenterStl[1.85g]	2		16⅜	16⅜	16⅜	16⅜—	⅛
9½	2⅝	Carriers&Gen[.35g]	3		3¾	3¾	3¾	3¾	....
191⅝	80	Case J I Co [6g]	5		92	92	92	92 +	1½
129¾	97	Do pfd [7]....0.90			100	100	99	99 —	1
100	40	Caterpil Tract [2a]	11		51⅝	51⅝	50¾	50¾—	1⅝
105¼	97	Do pfd [5].....	5		100	100	100	100	....
41¼	14⅝	CelaneseCor[2.25g]	17		15	15⅛	14⅝	14⅞—	⅜
48¼	21	CelotexCor [1.20g]	1		25	25	25	25 —	⅛

WHEAT AND CORN HIGHER DESPITE LIGHT TRADING

Closing Prices Near Day's Best Levels.

CHICAGO GRAIN FUTURES

Closing prices on the May delivery of principal grains on the Chicago Board of Trade yesterday:

	Yesterday.	Thursday.	Year ago.
Wheat	$.92¼	$.91¼	.....
Corn	.60½	.59⅝	.....
Oats	.30⅜	.30½	.....
Rye	.70⅛	.69⅝	.....
Soy beans	.97	.95½	.....

Although speculative interest in the grain markets was restricted yesterday, both wheat and corn futures advanced more than 1 cent a bushel at the extreme, with May corn touching 60½ cents, a new high for the current movement. Closing trades were within small fractions of a cent of the best prices of the day.

Strength in foreign wheat markets dominated the action of that grain. Liverpool closed as much as 1¼ cents a bushel higher, due mainly to short covering for the three day holiday in that market.

Buenos Aires Wheat Eases.

The North American markets largely ignored the relative easiness in Buenos Aires, where wheat futures were ⅝ cent lower to ⅛ cent a bushel higher.

December wheat in Winnipeg advanced about 2 cents a bushel at the extreme on buying induced by reports of a keen demand for cash grain from western mills. According to a Winnipeg message mills were scouring the prairie provinces for offerings of choice cash wheat and were said to have paid 5 cents a bushel over the May future in the Canadian market for No. 3 northern.

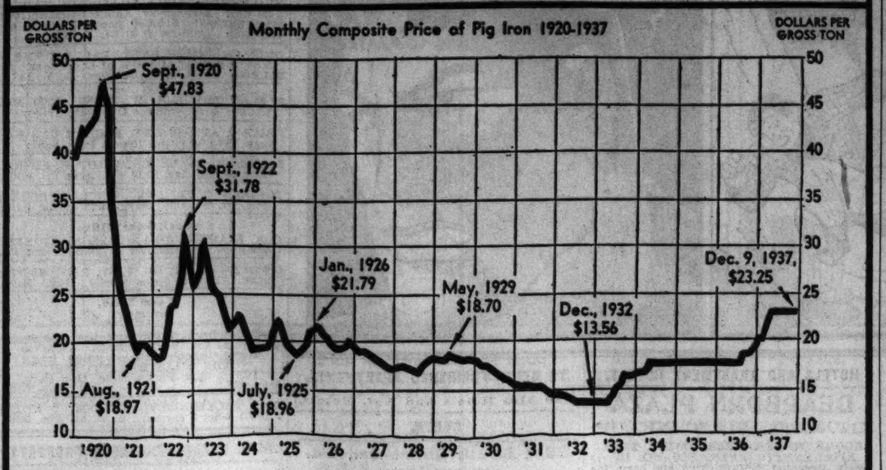
Export demand, however, was slow because of the Christmas holidays abroad. Foreign markets were generally closed yesterday before trading started in North America.

Corn Bought for Export.

A moderate revival in the foreign demand for American cash corn, sales being estimated at 400,000 bushels, had considerable influence on that grain, as the removal of hedges disclosed a lack of selling pressure. Unfavorable weather for the movement of cash corn in the interior was also a factor in strengthening the futures market.

Corn futures in the Buenos Aires market advanced ⅝ to ¾ cent a bushel yesterday with prices less than 1 cent below the highest level of the season. Private reports indicated the new Argentine corn crop is in need of rain.

Price of Pig Iron Is Unchanged at Year's Highest



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Where We Get Our Rubber.

The United States imports practically all the rubber used to make rubber products. Its source is in trees, which produce a milky fluid called latex which is treated with acetic acid, then smoked and dried, and shipped in the form of solid sheets. For years chemists have worked to produce synthetic rubber, but no process has yet been discovered to make a product that can effectively compete with the natural material.

Although latex was first tapped from rubber trees growing wild in the Amazon valley and other parts of South America, the chief commercial source of rubber is now the rubber plantations in the "India Rubber Belt" of the East Indies. The present place of plantation rubber is shown by the fact that, although in 1900 only four tons of plantation rubber were produced, compared with 54,000 tons of wild rubber, in 1930 800,000 tons of plantation rubber were produced, compared with 17,000 tons of wild rubber from Brazil and 3,800 tons of other wild rubber.

Principal primary markets for rubber are Singapore, Penang, Colombo, Batavia, and Medan. Leading secondary markets are Amsterdam, London, and New York.

Tomorrow: Growth of Rubber Industry.

PREDICT EXPORT OF 90 MILLION BU. OF U. S. WHEAT

Washington, D. C., Dec. 24.—(AP)—The bureau of agricultural economics estimated today that 90,000,000 bushels of this year's United States wheat crop would move into foreign markets. Exports from the 1936 crop totaled only 10,049,000 bushels.

The estimate indicated a change from recent drouth years, when the United States imported more of the bread grain than it exported. Exports including flour, between July 1 and Dec. 18 were reported at 31,063,000 bushels.

The bureau ranked only Australia ahead of the United States in the volume of wheat exports for the 1937-38 season. It estimated Australian shipments at 105,000,000 bushels. Estimates for other countries included: Canada, 75,000,000 bushels; Argentine, 80,000,000 Danube river countries, 60,000,000; soviet Russia, 40,000,000; all others, 35,000,000.

BANK CLEARINGS IN CHICAGO RUN BELOW YEAR AGO

Clearings by member banks of the Chicago Clearing House association aggregated $264,300,000 in the five days ended yesterday, a decline of $59,200,000 from clearings of $323,500,000 in the Christmas week last year.

The daily record of Chicago bank clearings for the week follows:

	Clearings.	Balances.
Monday	$ 46,900,000	$ 3,300,000
Tuesday	49,900,000	4,000,000
Wednesday	54,300,000	4,300,000
Thursday	56,100,000	3,000,000
Friday	57,100,000	4,300,000
Saturday, Christmas day.		
Total for week	$264,300,000	$18,900,000
Wk. last year	323,500,000	24,500,000

Two Firms Will Become Stock Exchange Members

New York, Dec. 24.—[Special.]—Two more firms have been added to the list of those which will become New York Stock exchange houses at the new year. Lazard Freres & Co. will take the place of Lazard Freres and Derry & White will come into existence. Birdsall & Hess will retire as stock exchange members on Dec. 31, and on that day the firm of Phelps & McKee will dissolve. After Jan. 1 Neilson & O'Sullivan will be known as C. F. Neilson & company. Many other firms are also making year-end changes.

SMALL RECEIPTS AID SHARP RISE IN EGG MARKET

Eggs for both immediate and future delivery advanced sharply at the Chicago Mercantile exchange yesterday by buying attributed to smaller receipts at primary markets, a better out of storage movement, and predictions of colder weather in many parts of the middle western poultry belt.

December refrigerator eggs finished ⅝ cent higher at 21⅝ cents a dozen, and January contracts advanced a full cent to 20⅜ cents. In the cash market, fresh eggs were marked up ½ to 1 cent a dozen and graded refrigerators advanced ⅝ cent.

Butter futures advanced ⅛ to ¼ cent a pound. In the cash market, butter closed unchanged to ½ cent a pound lower for fancy grades. March Idaho russet potatoes declined 2 cents to $1.48 a hundred pounds.

INVESTING COMPANIES

	Bid.	Asked.		Bid.	Asked.
Admi F2I.	12.11	12.88	Nat WldS	3.23	3.33
Affil FInc	4.31	4.74	Nat WVot	1.24	1.37
Am Hold.	18.00	19.75	Natl Inve	5.03	.....
Am BusSh	12.75	.....	New EnR.	12.31	13.24
Am InsSt	4.50	4.75	NY BkTS	2.62	.....
Broad StI.	22.75	24.33	NAmBctf.	53.25	.....
Cen ShrT.	19.81	21.34	NA Trs'53	2.13	.....
Comw Inv	3.18	3.40	Do 1955	2.60	.....
Corp Trus	2.45	.....	Do 1956	2.55	.....
Do A A	2.15	.....	Do 1958	2.35	.....
DoA A m	2.64	.....	Quar Incs.	10.82	11.85
DoAcSer	2.15	.....	Rep TrSh	9.40	9.90
Do AcM	2.64	.....	Sele AmSI	9.21	10.04
Cum TrSh	4.66	.....	Spe TraF.	14.96	15.75
Diver TrC	3.55	.....	State SIn.	83.00	86.00
Do D ..	5.25	5.85	Sup ATrA	3.01	.....
Divid Shr	1.22	1.32	Do A A	2.05	.....
Fid FuIn.	18.49	19.90	Do B ..	3.12	.....
Fir BosCo.	13.00	14.50	Do B B	2.05	.....
Fix TSh	9.21	.....	Do C ..	5.68	.....
Do B ..	7.26	.....	Do D....	5.68	.....
Fund InvI.	15.97	16.97	Supe Shrs	9.44	10.26
Fund TSA	4.71	5.25	Trus StIC	2.30	.....
Do B	4.30	.....	Do D ..	2.25	.....
Gen CapC.	28.80	30.97	Tru AB	.59	.67
Gen InvTr	4.67	5.08	Trus InSh	.94	1.03
Inc Inves.	16.57	17.82	USELP A.	12.75	13.25
Maryl Fu	5.93	6.50	Do B ..	1.91	2.01
MassInt T.	19.70	20.90	Do Voti	.86	.94
Mutu Inv.	10.31	11.27			

BOARD OF TRADE SALES.

[On Dec. 23 in thousands of bushels.]

	December.	May.	July.	Total.
Wheat	1,356	6,656	1,862	9,874
Corn	656	2,271	440	3,376
Oats	179	187	15	381
Rye	5	123	31	159
Soy beans	12	15	....	27
Grand total				13,817

Open Grain Trades.

	December.	May.	July.	Total.
Wheat	6,546	70,362	20,861	97,774
Corn	2,382	30,923	13,730	47,150
Oats	1,061	19,833	1,079	21,973
Rye	25	2,754	487	3,266
Soy beans	324	1,132	27	1,533
Grand total				171,696

FREIGHT TRAFIC IS BELOW WEEK AND YEAR AGO

Total Loadings Shrink to 603,292 Cars.

Railroad freight loadings during the week ended Dec. 18 totaled 603,292 cars, a decrease of 18,839 cars, or 3 per cent, from the preceding week's total, the Association of American Railroads reported yesterday. The freight movement was 126,756 cars, or 17.4 per cent, below that of the corresponding week in 1936, and 110,573 cars, or 15.5 per cent, below the like week of 1930.

All commodities except grain showed declines both from the preceding week this year and the like week of last year. Grain shipments increased 585 cars over the week ended Dec. 11 and 1,813 cars over the 1936 week.

Coal Shipments Slump.

The sharpest drop from the week of Dec. 11 was in coal shipments, which declined 7,072 cars, and also were 12,512 cars below a year ago.

Miscellaneous freight and less than carlot merchandise, both regarded as barometers of business activity, showed declines of 80,778 and 18,767 cars, respectively, from the same week of 1936. Declines from the preceding week this year in these classifications were about of normal seasonal proportions, miscellaneous freight shipments dipping 5,540 cars and less than carlot shipments receding 4,468 cars.

The live stock movement continued to lag behind 1936, with a decline of 404 cars. Lumber shipments were 10,632 cars lower than a year ago.

Group Loadings Compared.

The association's classified report of car loadings of the various commodities follows:

	Wk. ended Dec. 18	Change from— Prev. wk.	Yr. ago.
Miscellaneous	217,703	−5,540	−80,778
Mdse. L. C. L.	145,648	−4,468	−18,767
Coal	149,929	−7,072	−12,512
Grain	55,620	+585	+1,813
Live stock	14,363	−375	−404
Forest products	25,106	−1,802	−10,632
Ore	8,492	−126	−706
Coke	6,431	−41	−4,770

The Dow-Jones seasonally adjusted loadings index, based on the average of the last fifteen years as 100, advanced to 79.8, against 77.7 a week ago and 96.5 a year ago.

Loadings of Canadian railroads in the week ended Dec. 18 totaled 47,691 cars, compared with 47,187 for the preceding week, and 49,710 a year ago, the dominion bureau of statistics reported yesterday.

GRAIN IN OTHER MARKETS

December Wheat.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Prev. close.
K. C.	.92⅛	.92⅞	.92⅛	.92⅜	.91⅞
Mpls.	1.00½	1.00½	1.00⅜	1.00⅝	1.00
*Dul.	.84⅝	.84⅝	.84⅝	.84⅝	.84
Wpg.	1.26⅛	1.29⅝	1.26⅛	1.29⅝	1.25⅝
†Lvp.	1.11⅞	1.12½	1.11⅞	1.12½	1.11⅝
B. A.	1.03⅛	1.03⅛	1.02⅛	1.02⅛	1.02⅛

January Wheat.

Rtm.	1.07	1.07	1.07	1.07	1.06¼

February Wheat.

B. A.	1.01½	1.01⅛	1.00⅞	1.01⅛	1.01¼

March Wheat.

†Lvp.	1.09⅛	1.09½	1.09¼	1.09½	1.08⅜

May Wheat.

K. C.	.88⅞	.89½	.88⅞	.89½	.88⅝
Mpls.	.99½	1.00¼	.99½	.99⅝	.99
*Dul.	.86¼	.86⅝	.86¼	.86⅝	.85⅝
Wpg.	1.17¼	1.18⅜	1.17	1.17⅝	1.16½
†Lvp.	1.09⅜	1.11	1.09⅜	1.10⅝	1.09⅜

July Wheat.

K. C.	.82¼	.82⅝	.82¼	.82⅜	.81¼
Mpls.	.97⅛	.97⅛	.97⅛	.97⅛	.95⅝
Wpg.	1.10⅜	1.11⅝	1.10⅛	1.10⅞	1.09⅜
†Lvp.	1.10⅝	1.11⅝	1.10⅝	1.11	1.10

December Corn.

B. A.	.76	.76⅝	.76⅛	.76⅛	.76

January Corn.

Rtm.	.80⅝	.80⅝	.80⅛	.80⅝	.79½

February Corn.

B. A.	.75⅝	.76¼	.75⅝	.76¼	.75½

May Corn.

K. C.	.57⅜	.58	.57⅜	.58	.57⅛
Mpls.	.54⅞	.55⅝	.54⅞	.55⅛	.54⅝

July Corn.

K. C.	.58⅛	.58⅛	.58⅛	.58⅛	.57⅝

December Oats.

Mpls.	.28	.28	.28	.28	.27⅝
Wpg.	.48⅝	.48⅝	.48⅝	.48⅝	.47⅞

May Oats.

Mpls.	.27⅞	.27⅞	.27⅜	.27⅞	.27½
Wpg.	.46½	.46¾	.46½	.46⅝	.46⅜

July Oats.

Wpg.	.44½	.44¾	.44¼	.44½	.43⅝

December Rye.

Mpls.	.66⅝	.66⅞	.66⅝	.66⅝	.65⅝
Dul.	.67½	.67½	.67½	.67½	.67
Wpg.	.74⅞	.76	.74⅜	.75⅞	.75⅛

May Rye.

Mpls.	.66	.66⅝	.66	.66⅛	.65½
Dul.	.68	.68	.68	.68	.67½
Wpg.	.77⅞	.78⅛	.76⅞	.78	.77

July Rye.

Wpg.	.76⅞	.77⅝	.76⅝	.76⅝	.75⅝

December Feed Barley.

Mpls.	.49⅞	.49⅞	.49⅞	.49⅞	.49
Wpg.	.59⅜	.60⅛	.59⅛	.60	.59⅛

May Feed Barley.

Mpls.	.47	.47⅛	.47	.47⅛	.46⅝
Wpg.	.59½	.59⅞	.59½	.59⅝	.58⅞

July Feed Barley

Wpg.	.56	.56	.56	.56	.55½

December Flaxseed.

Mpls.	1.99⅛	1.99⅛	1.99¼	1.99⅛	1.99
Dul.	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00

February Flaxseed.

B. A.	1.28⅝	1.28⅝	1.28⅝	1.28⅝	1.28⅛

May Flaxseed.

Mpls.	1.99	2.00	1.99	2.00	2.00
Dul.	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	1.99

July Flaxseed.

Mpls.	2.01½	2.01½	2.01½	2.01½	2.01½

$5.00.
*Durum. †Exchange, $5.00; Thursday.

PERMIT RAILROAD PURCHASE.

The interstate commerce commission has authorized the acquisition by the Tennessee, Alabama, and Georgia Railway company of the railroad, assets and property of the Tennessee, Alabama, and Georgia railway. The purchasing company was formed last August for the purpose of acquiring the system.

BOARD OF TRADE GRAIN FUTURES

[Prices Dec. 24, 1937, in dollars per bushel.]

Wheat.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Prev. close.	Year ago.	Season's range. High.	Low.
December	.95⅛	.95⅞	.95⅛	.95⅝	.94⅝	*	1.31⅛	.84⅛
May	.91⅝	.91⅞	.92⅛	.91⅝	.92⅛	.91⅝	1.32⅛	.85⅛
July	.85⅛	.86⅛	.85⅞	.86	.85⅛	*	1.05⅝	.81⅞

Corn.

December	.58⅜	.59⅜	.58⅜	.59	.58⅛	*	.86½	.51⅜
January	.58⅜	.59⅜	.58⅜	.59⅜	.58⅛	*	.59⅜	.57⅜
May	.59⅜	.60½	.59⅜	.60⅜	.60½	.59⅜	.81	.55⅜
July	.59⅜	.60¼	.59⅜	.60	.59⅜	*	.66⅜	.56½

Oats.

December	.32¼	.32⅜	.32¼	.32¼	.32⅜	*	.42¼	.27⅝
May	.30⅜	.30⅜	.30⅜	.30⅜	.30⅛	*	.42¼	.28½

Rye.

December	.68¼	.69	.68¼	.69	.68¼	*	.96	.63⅜
May	.70¼	.70¼	.70¼	.70¼	.69⅝	*	.84	.63⅜
July	.66⅜	.66⅜	.66⅜	.66⅜	.66⅛	*	.70⅜	.62

Soy Beans.

December	.96	.96	.96	.96	.95	*	1.26	.90½
May	.96	.97	.96	.97	.95½	*	1.06¾	.93
July	.97½	.97½	.97½	.97½	.96	*	.95¼	.95

*Holiday.

CHICAGO STOCKS

Friday, December 24, 1937.

Shares sold today..... 23,000 Total sales 1937 to date..... 13,976,000
Year ago..... Holiday Total sales 1936 to date..... 19,208,000

1937 High.	1937 Low.	Description, div. rate, $=	Sales.	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.	Net chge.	Closing Bid.	Closing Asked.
55½	35⅞	Abbott Lab [1.60a]	100	36½	36½	36	36	−1	36	37¼
12½	4¼	Adams Roy [.20]	100	4⅝	4⅝	4⅝	4⅝	−⅛	4⅝	5⅛
14¼	5½	Aetna B Bear [1.05g]	200	6	6	6	6	....	6	6½
13⅜	4⅜	Armour&Co [.70g]	100	5½	5½	5½	5⅝	....	5½	5⅝
4⅜	⅝	Asbestos Mfg	250	1	1	1	1	−⅛	1	1⅛
57½	33⅛	Assoc Invest [3a]	50	33¼	33¼	33¼	33½	−1⅝	32¼	34½
20½	7½	Barl.SeligA [1.20]	50	7⅞	7⅞	7⅞	7⅞	....	7⅞	7⅝
22	10	Belden Mfg [.60a]	200	10¾	10¾	10	10	−⅜	10	10⅝
14¼	4½	Berghoff Brew [1]	50	7	7	7	7	....	6⅞	7
43½	16⅝	Bliss & Laughlin [2a]	350	25⅛	25⅞	25⅛	25¼	−⅜	25¼	25⅝
50¼	24	Borg-Warner [2a]	350	25⅛	25⅞	25¼	25¼	−⅜	25¼	25⅝
30¼	6	Bruce E L	50	8	8	8	8	....	7⅝	8
13	4¼	Burd Piston Ring [1]	50	4½	4½	4½	4½	....	4¼	4½
18½	5⅝	Butler Bros [.60]	200	7½	7½	7⅜	7⅜	....	7¼	7½
36⅛	17	Do pfd [1.50]	50	18⅜	18½	18⅛	18¼	+ ⅜	18¼	18⅜
43	19	Castle A M [2a]	100	19	19	19	19	−⅛	18½	19
81½	48	Cen Ill PS pfd [4k]	90	49	49	48½	48½	−1½	48½	50
3⅞	⅝	Cen-Ill Sec	500	⅝	⅝	⅝	⅝	−⅛	⅝	⅝
6⅝	1½	Cen & S W Ut [3a]	100	2	2	2	2	+ ⅛	1⅞	2
6⅝	1	Chi & N W	700	1	1	1	1	....	1	1⅛
6⅝	1⅜	Chi Corp	550	2	2	1⅞	2	+ ⅛	1⅞	2
48	32	Do pfd [3]	400	32½	32½	32½	32½	....	32	33
77	35	Chi Flex Shaft [4]	150	40⅜	40⅞	40⅜	40⅝	+ ⅜	40½	41
5⅜	1½	Cities Serv	700	2	2	1⅞	1⅞	....	1⅞	2
33¼	20½	Comwlth Ed [1.25a]	950	26⅜	26⅝	26½	26⅝	−⅛	26½	26⅝
11	3	Con Biscuit [.40g]	100	3½	3½	3½	3⅝	+ ⅛	3⅜	3⅝
3¼	1¼	Consumers Co B	100	1½	1½	1½	1⅝	+ ⅛	1	3
14½	5	Do pfd	20	6¼	6¼	6¼	6¼	−⅛	6¼	9½
5⅜	1½	Cord Corp	800	1⅝	1⅝	1⅝	1⅝	−⅛	1⅝	1⅞
17⅜	5	Dexter Co [.20g]	10	5½	5½	5½	5½	−⅛	5	5⅜
12½	2⅞	El Household	1,450	3¼	3	3	3	....	2⅞	3
40½	21	Elgin Nat Watch [2g]	200	24	24¾	24	24½	+ ⅛	24	24¼
23⅝	10¼	Gardner-Denver [1a]	50	11	11	11	11	+ ⅜	10½	11
10⅞	1¼	Gen Household	5,400	2	2¼	2	2¼	+ ⅛	2	2⅛
42⅜	19½	Goldblatt [2.40h]	100	22	22¼	22	22¼	−1½	22	23
12⅜	5½	Gossar HW [1.25g]	sell 200	8	8	8	8	....	7½	8⅛
20½	9	Gt Lakes Dr [1a]	150	12¾	12¾	12	12	−⅛	12¼	12⅝
20	5¾	Harnischfeger	70	6	6	6	6	....	6¼	6⅜
11½	5	Heileman G Brew [1]	50	6⅛	6⅛	6⅛	6⅛	−⅛	6⅛	6⅜
27⅜	8½	Hond-Her B [1.50]	100	8½	8½	8½	8½	−1	8½	8¾
4¾	1⅜	Hupp Mot	100	1½	1½	1⅜	1⅜	+ ⅛	1⅜	1⅝
111	92	Ill Nor Ut pfd [6]	110	106½	107	106½	107	....	107	108
27	12⅞	Iron Fireman [1.20a]	50	12⅞	12⅞	12⅞	12⅝	−⅛	12	13
29⅜	13¾	Jarvis W B [2a]	50	18	18	18	18	....	18	18½
7½	3½	Kerlyn Oil A [.35a]	50	3⅜	3⅜	3⅜	3⅜	....	3⅜	3⅜
3¾	⅝	Kingsbury Brew	50	⅞	⅞	⅞	⅞	....	⅞	1
3⅜	1¾	La Salle Ext	150	3¼	3⅜	3¼	3⅜	−⅛	3¼	3⅜
11⅜	3	Leath & Co [.50g]	500	3½	3½	3⅜	3½	....	3¼	3¾
19⅜	7⅞	Le Roi Co [1g]	100	8	8	8	8	....	7⅞	9
15⅜	5½	Lib-McL & L [1.40h]	100	7⅞	7⅞	7⅞	7⅞	+ ⅛	7⅜	8
30⅜	8	Marsh Field	450	8¼	8½	8	8⅛	+ ⅛	8⅜	8½
57½	29	McQuay-Norris [2.75g]	50	29	29	29	29	−⅛	28½	31
31½	21	Merch & Mfr pfd [3a]	10	21	21	21	21	−4½	20	23
5	1⅜	Mickelberry's Fd	650	2⅝	3	2⅝	3	+ ⅜	2⅞	3
15⅞	3⅝	Mid West Corp	900	5⅜	5¼	5¼	5⅜	−⅛	5⅜	5½
9⅜	1½	Midland Util 6% p l	50	1½	1½	1½	1½	....	1½	2
9⅜	1½	Do 6% pl	50	1½	1½	1½	1½	....	1½	2
4⅜	⅝	Do 6% pfd	10	⅝	⅝	⅝	⅝	−⅛	⅝	1½
46⅛	21	Modine [3.50g]	150	22⅞	22⅞	22	22	−⅜	20½	22⅜
58	19	Noblitt-Sparks [3a]	250	20	20	20	20	+ ⅛	20	20⅝
16½	5½	Nor'west Bancorp	300	6⅝	6⅝	6⅝	6⅝	....	6⅝	
20½	15	Parker Pen [2]	100	15	15	15	15	....	14	15
24½	11	Penn El Sw A [1.20]	50	12⅜	12⅜	12½	12½	−⅜	12¼	12½
17½	7⅝	Penn Gas & El [1.50]	50	10	10	10	10	−⅛	9	10½
125⅛	86	Quaker Oats [5]	50	95¼	95¼	95	95	....	95	98½
23¼	16	Rath Pack [1g]	50	16⅜	16½	16½	16½	+ ⅛	16½	18
35½	6	Reliance Mfg [.60a]	70	11	11	10	10	−1	10½	11
2⅜	½	Rollins-Hos	100	1	1	1	1	....	1	1⅛
98	50	Sears Roeb [3a]	150	62¼	62⅝	62¼	62½	+ ¼	62¼	62⅜
27½	12	S Bend L Wks [1.60a]	50	14½	14½	14¼	14⅜	−⅛	14¼	15
7	2	South Colo Pow A	30	2⅝	2⅝	2	2	−⅜	2	2⅝
17¼	9⅜	Std Dredg pfd [1.60]	300	11½	11½	11½	11½	....	11⅜	12
28½	9½	Sunstrd M Tool [1.25g]	200	9⅝	9⅝	9⅝	9⅝	+ ⅛	9⅜	10¼
18½	15¼	Swift & Co [1.20]	100	16⅜	16⅝	16⅜	16⅝	+ ⅛	16¼	16⅞
33⅜	22⅜	Swift Int [2]	50	23½	23½	23½	23½	−1¼	23¼	24
4⅞	1⅛	Utah Radio	200	1⅝	1½	1⅝	1½	....	1⅝	1½
2	½	Util & Ind	500	½	½	½	½	....	½	⅝
33	18	Walgreen [2]	100	19¼	19¼	19¼	19¼	+ ⅛	19	19½
2½	1¼	Yates-Amer Mach	50	1⅞	1⅞	1⅞	1⅞	....	1⅞	1¾

*Ex dividend. †Ex rights. a—Also extra or extras. e—Paid last year. f—Payable in stock. g—Declared or paid so far this calendar year. h—Cash or stock. k—Accumulated dividend paid or declared this calendar year.

Business Books

"Cotton Year Book of the New York Cotton Exchange, 1937," prepared under direction of Alston H. Garside, economist of the exchange.

This book is published annually by the New York Cotton exchange. It gives statistical data on production an consumption of cotton in the United States and other parts of the world. The book comments as follows in regard to the outlook for the next crop year:

"As the cotton trade entered the 1937-'38 season, it became increasingly evident that both the United States and foreign countries in the aggregate were making larger crops than in the 1936-'37 season, while, in some sections of the world, spinning would not be so large as in the season that had just ended. Thus the world cotton trade has found itself facing a large excess of prospective supply over prospective consumption of the staple."

MINNEAPOLIS FLOUR.

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., Dec. 24.—(AP)—Flour, carload lots, per bbl in 98 lb cotton sacks: Family patents, unchanged, $6.15@6.35; standard patents, unchanged, $5.55@5.75. Shipments, 17,458 bbls. Pure bran, $19.50@20.00 and standard middlings, $20.00@20.50 per ton.

HAY MARKET.

	No. 1.	No. 2.	No. 3.
Timothy, rail	$16@17	$14@16	$10@12
Do, truck	14@15	12@13	9@11
Alfalfa, rail	20@25	14@19	12@14

Oats and wheat straw, rail, $7.00@8.00; truck, $7.00@8.00; marsh hay, rail, $7.00@9.00; truck, $7.00@9.00. Rye straw, rail, $10.00@11.00; truck, $8.00@9.00. Receipts, 3 cars timothy.

CASH GRAIN

Official receipts of grain at Chicago Friday: Wheat, 7 cars; corn, 131 cars; oats, 35 cars; barley, 18 cars; soy beans, 6 cars. Range of cash grain prices per bu in leading markets:

WHEAT.

No.	Chicago.	Kansas City.	St. Louis.
3 red		92	92¼@94½
4 red		86¼@89	88½
3 hd		94½@95¼	
4 hd		90¾ 93⅝@94½	
	Duluth.	Winnipeg.	Minneapolis.
1 dn	1.07⅝@1.09⅞	1.41⅛	1.07⅝@1.09⅞
2 dn	1.06⅝@1.14⅞	1.35⅝	1.06⅝@1.14⅞
3 dn	1.02⅝@1.12⅝	1.21⅛	1.02⅝@1.12⅝
1 ad	.92⅝@1.06⅝	89⅝	90⅝@1.06⅝
	Toledo.		Omaha.
2 red	89⅛@99½		

CORN.

	Chicago.	Kansas City.	St. Louis.
3 mix	56½@57		59½
4 mix	55	55½	

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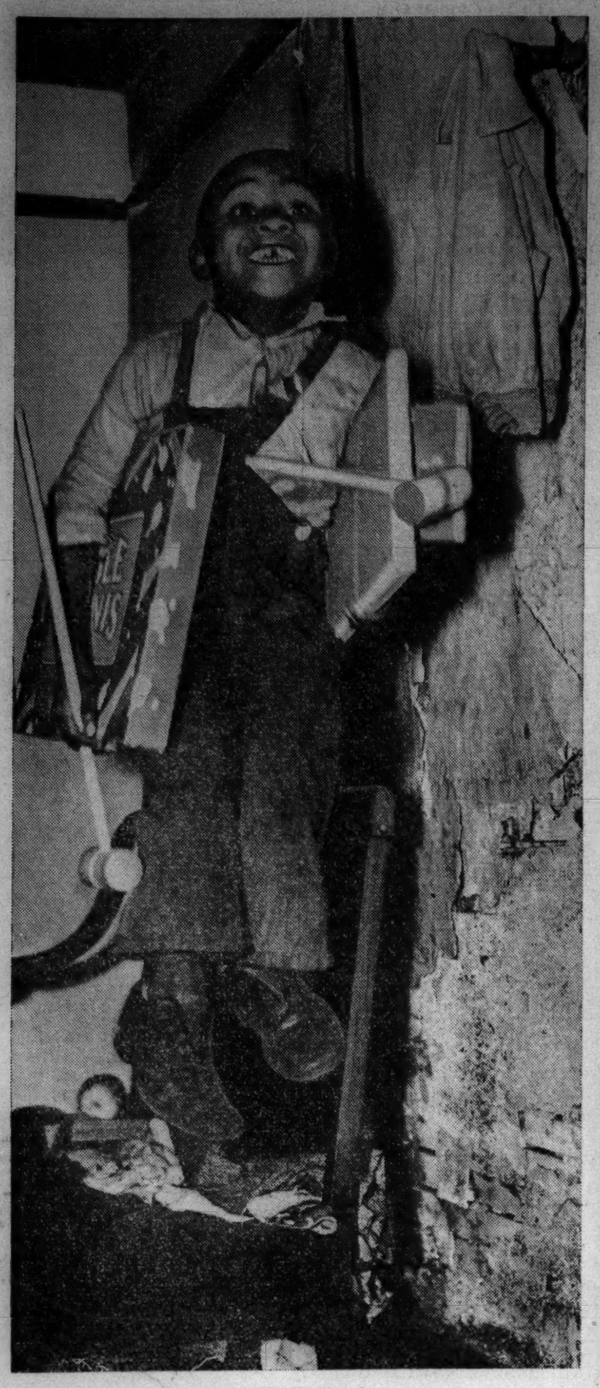

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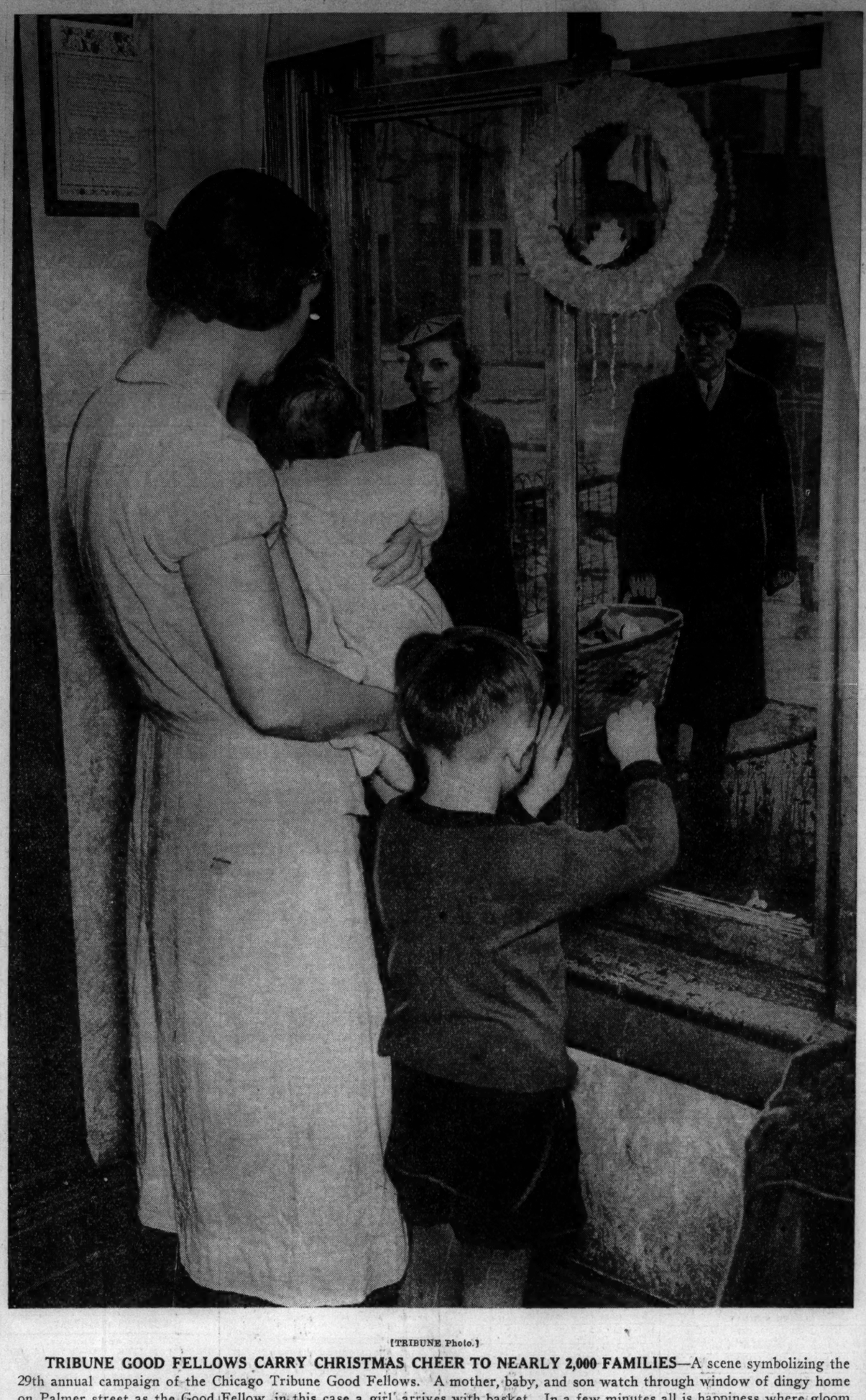
JUMPING FOR JOY—John is colored and a member of poor family living on Wentworth avenue. Usually life is a drab proposition, but not yesterday when a Tribune Good Fellow visited home with bulging Christmas basket.



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TRIBUNE GOOD FELLOWS CARRY CHRISTMAS CHEER TO NEARLY 2,000 FAMILIES—A scene symbolizing the 29th annual campaign of the Chicago Tribune Good Fellows. A mother, baby, and son watch through window of dingy home on Palmer street as the Good Fellow, in this case a girl, arrives with basket. In a few minutes all is happiness where gloom prevailed. The scene was duplicated hundreds of times as the Good Fellows made their annual rounds to more homes than ever before. About 8,000 poor children were made happy. *(Story on page 1.)*

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DANNY GETS A BEAR AND DOLL—This 3 year old boy, living on North Mozart street, holds aloft his teddy bear after unexpected but welcome visit from Good Fellow. He is sitting on the basket which made family happy.

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HAPPINESS MIRRORED IN A FACE—Minnie was not expecting much this Christmas and probably would have received nothing. But a Good Fellow arrived yesterday and the gifts included a toy set to wash the doll's clothing.

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SAD-EYED CHILDREN WATCH ARRIVAL OF GOOD FELLOW—THEN ALL IS HAPPINESS—Frankie, Kathleen and Edward (left to right) looking out of window of dingy basement flat on South Canal street yesterday as Tribune Good Fellow carried down a basket which a few moments later was to make life brighter on Christmas day. The basket contained food, toys, and other things to make the family happy despite its poverty.

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NOW JIMMY CAN PLAY CROQUET—A happy boy on Christmas day because of some Good Fellow's generosity. He lives in rear flat on West Adams street, but today all is well with him and his brothers and sisters.